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INTEREST OF AMICUS[1]

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SUMMARY OF ARGUMENT

This Court should take the opportunity presented by these consolidated appeals to confirm the constitutional warrant, under the First Amendment Right to Petition for Redress of Grievances, for genuine issue advertisements by grassroots lobbying organizations.

The storied right to petition for redress of grievances is more than a historical artifact of history. That right, both in its exercise and in the charters and proclamations affirming it, is inextricably wound up in the history of this Nation and of England before it. While Magna Carta, the Petition of Right and the English Bill of Rights mark the trail leading to it, an amendment was required to make the right to petition for redress of grievances fundamental in the federal constitutional scheme.

The right to petition for redress of grievances, constitutional in scope, has been construed by this Court in a series of antitrust and related cases, to bar the application of normal principles of antitrust law, under the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine. In the *Noerr-Pennington* line of cases, this Court crafted a rule of exception from the operation of antitrust law.

It did so, in principal part, to avoid the constitutional difficulty that would be presented if the antitrust laws were not understood to skirt the perimeter of the right to petition for redress of grievances. In like vein, here, this Court should take the opportunity afforded by the consolidated cases to affirm the constitutional dimensions of the right of the people to petition for redress of grievances. In doing so, this Court should craft a rule respecting the exercise of that right in the formulation and broadcasting of genuine issue advertisements during the statutory blackout periods.

ARGUMENT

I. THE PROHIBITION OF GENUINE ISSUE ADVERTISEMENTS BY GRASSROOTS LOBBYING GROUPS DURING THE PERIOD PRIOR TO PRIMARIES AND GENERAL ELECTIONS DIRECTLY AFFRONTS THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO PETITION FOR A REDRESS OF GRIEVANCES.

The United States Government does not "take a holiday" beginning thirty days before primary elections and sixty days before general elections. Even though Congress recesses in advance of general elections, seemingly for the purpose of allowing members the opportunity to campaign last minute for re-election, the business of governing continues.

Because the business of governing continues, the business of the People, that is, the business of giving instructions to their elected representatives continues. And likewise, the business of seeking redress of grievances continues. When Congress enacted the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act of 2002, it acted

in derogation of these facts and to the detriment of the right of the people to petition for a redress of grievances through the use of genuine issue advertisements by grassroots lobbying organizations. The right to petition is fundamental,[2] and warrants this Court's close guardianship.

A. The Right to Petition for A Redress of Grievances

1. The English Antecedents to the Right to Petition for a Redress of Grievances

The constitutional right to petition for a redress of grievances was not fashioned from whole cloth by the First federal Congress in 1789. An English people had framed this Nation, and those Englishmen not only knew of Magna Carta, Petition of Right, and the English Bill of Rights, they had pursued relief in accord with them before declaring independence. To fairly get the meaning of the right to petition for redress, a review of its English antecedents is required.

In June 1215, at Runnymede, England, King John met with several of his Barons. There, the terms of the King's concessions were determined; within several days, the king signed the Magna Carta, or Great Charter, under compulsion applied against him by a plurality of his Barons. G. SMITH, A

2. It has been suggested, with good ground therefor, that the right to petition for redress of grievances is superior to the other rights protected from Congressional abridgement by the First Amendment. *See generally* Julie Spanbauer, "The First Amendment Right to Petition Government for a Redress of Grievances: Cut From A Different Cloth," 21 HASTINGS CONST. LAW QUARTERLY 15 (Fall 1993).

CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND 132 (Charles Scribner's Sons 1955).[3] *See generally* Magna Carta (http://www.bl.uk/treasures/ magnacarta/translation.html) (last viewed March 17, 2007). In paragraph 67 of the 1215 Magna Carta, King John expressly crafted a process for his Barons to petition for the redress of "transgressions."[4] More important, perhaps, than that specific provision of the Great Charter is the persuasive process that led King John to make the concession of Magna Carta; the process that gave rise to the King's concessions serves to this day as a powerful archetype of the petition process.

Magna Carta simply redressed wrongs. The

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3. That Magna Carta of 1215 was but one of several documents so called. G. SMITH, at 136.

4. Paragraph 61 of Magna Carta bound the King and his Officers to make redresses "without delay." In fact, the provision is quite a stark authorization of direct, self-help:

> And if we shall not have corrected the transgression (or, in the event of our being out of the realm, if our justiciar shall not have corrected it) within forty days, reckoning from the time it has been intimated to us (or to our justiciar, if we should be out of the realm), the four barons aforesaid shall refer that matter to the rest of the five and twenty barons, and those five and twenty barons shall, together with the community of the whole realm, distrain and distress us in all possible ways, namely, by seizing our castles, lands, possessions, and in any other way they can, until redress has been obtained as they deem fit, saving harmless our own person, and the persons of our queen and children; and when redress has been obtained, they shall resume their old relations towards us.

> significant thing is that the wrongs were substantially those of all bad governments in any age and the principles of redress have changed but little through the centuries. Each clause was addressed to a specific problem, written in direct and simple language, prepared by practical men who knew what they were about.

G. SMITH, at 133.

Some four centuries later, as England moved closer and closer to civil war, a train of abuses, including denial and abrogation of rights and privileges confirmed by King John in Magna Carta, gave rise to the 1628 Petition of Right, 3 Chas.1 c.1. Adopted by Parliament with the support of Sir Edward Coke among others, *see* House of Commons Journal Volume 1: 27 May 1628, Journal of the House of Commons: volume 1: 1547-1629 (1802), pp. 905-06, and unanimously even in the House of Lords, *see* House of Lords Journal Volume 3: 27 May 1628, Journal of the House of Lords: volume 3: 1620-1628 (1802), pp. 824-26, the Petition of Right pressed the case of serious grievances by Parliament against the Crown.

King Charles I took cognizance of the Petition and agreed to examine the merits of its claims. G. SMITH, at 320. Among the grievances claimed in the Petition, several stand out: forced loans to the Crown; arbitrary arrest; imprisonment against the terms provided in the Magna Carta; interference with property; abuses of the Great Writ; quartering of troops without compensation; imposition of martial law. G. SMITH, at 319-20; http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/pathways/citizenship/rise_parliament/transcripts/petition_right.htm (text transcript by

the Parliamentary Archives) (last viewed March 17, 2007). In laying out the claimed wrongs, Parliament again followed the model of petitioning the Crown for relief from the wrongs stated in the Petition.

In the aftermath of the English Civil Wars and the subsequent ascendancy of William and Mary, Parliament enacted – with the Crown's approval – legislation settling the question of succession to the throne and, at the same time, confirming expressly the rights of the subjects of the Crown. G. SMITH, at 367-68. Those objects were obtained in the 1689 Bill of Rights. 1 W. & M., Sess. 2, ch. 2 (1689) (http://www.nationalarchives.gov.uk/pathways/citizenship/rise_parliament/transcripts/bill_rights.htm) (text transcript by the Parliamentary Archives) (last viewed March 17, 2007); House of Lords Journal Volume 14: 16 December 1689, Journal of the House of Lords: volume 14: 1685-1691, pp. 372-73; House of Commons Journal Volume 10: 16 December 1689, Journal of the House of Commons: volume 10: 1688-1693 (1802), pp. 309-10.

As with the Petition of Right, the English Bill of Rights contained indictments of prior abuses by the Crown or the officers of the Crown. Further, the Bill of Rights directly settled the question of the rights of the Crown's subjects. Key rights concluded by Parliament, in the Bill of Rights, to belong to the Crown's subjects included: freedom from royal interference with the law; freedom from taxation by royal prerogative, that is, without agreement by Parliament; freedom to petition the King; freedom of Protestant subjects to have arms for defence, as allowed by law; freedom to elect members of Parliament without interference from the Sovereign;

freedom from cruel and unusual punishments, and excessive bail; and, freedom from fines and forfeitures without trial. 1 W. & M., Sess. 2, ch. 2 (1689).

2. The American Experience

Just as quickly as English peoples began to settle on the shores of the American continent, they began to establish among themselves basic principles of governance. Among those early charters, the Massachusetts Body of Liberties of 1641 was first to protect expressly the right to petition:

> Every man whether Inhabitant or ffoffeiner, free or not free shall have libertie to come to any publique Court, Councell, or Towne meeting, and either by speech or writeing to move any lawfull, seasonable, and materiall question, or to present any necessary motion, complaint, petition, Bill or information, whereof that meeting hath proper cognizance, so it be done in convenient time, due order, and respective manner.

SELECT CHARTERS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS ILLUSTRATIVE OF AMERICAN HISTORY 1606-1775, at 73, 75 (Wm. MacDonald ed. 1899) (hereafter cited as "MacDonald's SELECT CHARTERS").

Subsequent charters and constitutions affirmed that the right to petition for redress of grievances was an accepted heritage of the English colonists in America. *See* Julie Spanbauer, "The First Amendment Right to Petition Government for a Redress of Grievances: Cut From A Different Cloth," 21 HASTINGS

CONST. LAW QUART., nn. 83-87 (Fall 1993) (collecting other charter provisions regarding the right to petition). By the time of the meeting of the First Continental Congress, the sentiment that the right to petition was a fundamental right of the American colonists was established. In the Declaration and Resolves, the First Continental Congress expressly declared as much:

> That they have a right peaceably to assemble, consider of their grievances, and petition the king; and that all prosecutions, prohibitory proclamations, and commitments for the same, are illegal.

Declaration and Resolves, First Continental Congress, 14 October 1774, (*in* CHARLES C. TANSILL, AND LIBRARY OF CONGRESS LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE SERVICE, DOCUMENTS ILLUSTRATIVE OF THE FORMATION OF THE UNION OF THE AMERICAN STATES 1, 3 (Washington: Govt. Print. Office, 1927)).

Indeed, the Second Continental Congress approved a Petition to King George, for redress of the many grievances that were propelling the colonies toward revolution. *See* Petition to the King, 8 July 1775 (*in* MacDonald's SELECT CHARTERS, at 381-85). That plea for redress King George and Parliament alike rejected; in response, Parliament enacted, with royal approbation, "An Act Prohibiting Trade and Intercourse with America." 16 Geo. III., c. 5 (*in* MacDonald's SELECT CHARTERS, at 391-96). And it was precisely because repeated petitioning to Parliament and the King had not salutary effect that the American gambit for independence became unavoidable. As Thomas Jefferson phrased the problem, "In

every stage of these oppressions we have petitioned for redress in the most humble terms; our repeated petitions have been answered only by repeated injury." DECL. OF INDEP. para. 29.

Given the English precedents of Magna Carta, the Petition of Right and the Bill of Rights, taken together with the numerous colonial charter assertions of the right to petition for a redress of grievances and the extent of colonial efforts to obtain redress before committing revolution, it is unsurprising, when James Madison proposed a Bill of Rights in the First Congress, that he included the right to petition therein. *See* Annals of Congress, House of Representatives, 1st Congress, 1st Sess., 451 (June 8, 1789) (proposing, "The people shall not be restrained from peaceably assembling and consulting for their common good; nor from applying to the Legislature by petitions, or remonstrances, for redress of their grievances").

Although the right to petition for redress of grievances was, by this long train of events, enshrined as a fundamental right in the First Amendment to the Constitution, it would be misleading to say that it has enjoyed a tenure there unsullied by instances of disregard. In addition to the threatened application of antitrust law to petition activities, *see* Argument II, *infra*, the most storied instance of that disregard was the period of the so-called "Gag Rule," when the House of Representatives adopted a rule prohibiting citizens from lodging petitions for redress, as a way to deal with a flood of abolition petitions being presented to Congress. *See* Garrett Epps, "The Antebellum Political Background of the Fourteenth Amendment." 67 LAW AND CONTEMP. PROB. 175, 192 nn. 116-17 and accompanying text (2004).

B. To Survive Constitutional Scrutiny, the Prohibition on Issue Advertisements By Grassroots Lobbying Organizations Must Be Limited By An Appropriately Crafted Rule Leaving Unabridged Those Genuine Issue Advertisements that Are Protected by the Right of the People to Petition for Redress of Grievances.

1. The *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine: Drawing Limits to Antitrust Law From the First Amendment

The question whether genuine issue advertisements should be or are subject to prohibition under the Constitution can be answered by drawing an analogy to this Court's development of the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine. That doctrine is a corollary of its holding in *Parker v. Brown*, 317 U.S. 341 (1943) that "the Sherman Act did not apply to anticompetitive restraints imposed by the States 'as an act of government.'" *City of Columbia v. Omni Outdoor Advertising, Inc.*, 499 U.S. 365, 372, 379 (1991) (quoting *Parker v. Brown*, 317 U.S. 341, 352 (1943)). The doctrine evolved in three cases decided by this Court: *Eastern Railroad Presidents Conference v. Noerr Motor Freight, Inc.*, 365 U.S. 127 (1961); *United Mine Workers of America v. Pennington*, 381 U.S. 657 (1965); and *California Motor Transport Co. v. Trucking Unlimited*, 404 U.S. 508 (1972). As explained by this Court, "'Where a restraint upon trade or monopolization is the result of valid governmental action, as opposed to private action,' those urging the governmental action enjoy absolute immunity from antitrust liability for the anticompetitive restraint." *Allied Tube & Conduit Corp. v. Indian Head, Inc.*, 486 U.S. 492 (1988) (citation omitted).

In *California Motor Transport*, this Court identified two grounds on which *Noerr* rested:

> (1) . . . To hold that the government retains the power to act in [a] representative capacity and yet hold . . . that the people cannot freely inform the government of their wishes would impute to the Sherman Act a purpose to regulate, not business activity, but political activity, a purpose which would have no basis whatever in the legislative history of that Act.
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> (2)The right of petition is one of the freedoms protected by the Bill of Rights, and we cannot . . . lightly impute to Congress an intent to invade these freedoms.

California Motor Transport Co., 404 U.S. at 510 (citations omitted).[5]

Important to the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine is what has become known as its "sham exception," described briefly by this Court in *Noerr*:

> There may be situations in which a publicity campaign, ostensibly directed toward influencing governmental action, is a mere sham to cover what is

5. In *California Motor Transport*, this Court then applied the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine to courts, explaining that "[t]he same philosophy governs the approach of citizens or groups of them to administrative agencies (which are both creatures of the legislature, and arms of the executive) and to courts, the third branch of Government." *Id.*

> actually nothing more than an attempt to interfere directly with the business relationships of a competitor and the application of the Sherman Act would be justified.

Noerr, 365 U.S. at 144. In *California Motor Transport*, this Court considered this "sham exception" as it applied to a situation where one group of highway carriers asserted that another group had "instituted state and federal proceedings to resist and defeat applications by [the highway carriers] to acquire operating rights or to transfer or register those rights." *California Motor Transport Co.*, 404 U.S. at 509. This Court reasoned that the activities alleged would fall under the sham exception if facts of that sort were proven true. *Id.* at 515-16. In *Omni Outdoor Advertising*, the Court described the sham exception as "encompass[ing] situations in which persons use the governmental *process* – as opposed to the *outcome* of that process – as an anticompetitive weapon" and, in the case of litigation, as involving "a defendant whose activities are 'not genuinely aimed at procuring favorable government action' at all." *Omni Outdoor Advertising*, 499 U.S. at 380 (citations omitted).

This Court rejected application of the sham exception in *Omni Outdoor Advertising*. In doing so, this Court explained that, although Columbia Outdoor Advertising "indisputably set out to disrupt Omni's business relationships, it sought to do so not through the very process of lobbying, or of causing the city council to consider zoning measures, but rather through the ultimate *product* of that lobbying and consideration, viz., the zoning ordinances" and that "the purpose of delaying a competitor's entry into the market does not render lobbying

activity a "sham," unless . . . the delay is sought to be achieved only by the lobbying process itself, and not by the governmental action that the lobbying seeks." *Id.* at 381.

2. The *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine reflects the constitutional right of the people to petition under the First Amendment.

In *Omni Outdoor Advertising*, this Court discussed the connection between the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine and the right to petition:

> While *Parker* recognized the States' freedom to engage in anticompetitive regulation, it did not purport to immunize from antitrust liability the private parties who urge them to engage in anticompetitive regulation. However, it is obviously peculiar in a democracy, and perhaps in derogation of the constitutional right "to petition the Government for a redress of grievances," U.S. Const., Amdt. 1, to establish a category of lawful state action that citizens are not permitted to urge. Thus, beginning with [*Noerr*], we have developed a corollary to *Parker*: The federal antitrust laws also do not regulate the conduct of private individuals in seeking anticompetitive action from the government. This doctrine, like *Parker*, rests ultimately upon a recognition that the antitrust laws, "tailored as they are for the business world, are not at all appropriate for application in the political arena." That a private party's political motives are selfish is irrelevant: "Noerr shields from the Sherman Act a concerted

> effort to influence public officials regardless of intent or purpose."

Id. at 379-80 (citations omitted). In *Noerr*, this Court declined to apply the Sherman Act to the efforts of railways to influence the state legislature and governor in, among other things, passing legislation that would injure the trucking industry; this Court said it was basing the decision on the "essential dissimilarity" between the actions at issue and the traditional actions covered by the Act and on "other difficulties." *Noerr*, 365 U.S. at 136-37. The "other difficulties" referred to by the Court included that "[t]o hold that the government retains the power to act in [a] representative capacity and yet hold . . . that the people cannot freely inform the government of their wishes would impute to the Sherman Act a purpose to regulate, not business activity, but political activity, a purpose which would have no basis whatever in the legislative history of that Act." *Id.* at 137.

> [S]uch a construction of the Sherman Act would raise important constitutional questions. The right of petition is one of the freedoms protected by the Bill of Rights, and we cannot, of course, lightly impute to Congress an intent to invade these freedoms.

Id. at 137-38. Further addressing the right of petition, this Court said, "[t]he right of the people to inform their representatives in government of their desires with respect to the passage or enforcement of laws cannot properly be made to depend upon their intent in doing so" *id.* at 139, and that

> [a] construction of the Sherman Act that would

> disqualify people from taking a public position on matters in which they are financially interested would . . . deprive the government of a valuable source of information and, at the same time, deprive the people of their right to petition in the very instances in which that right may be of the most importance to them. . . . We . . . hold that, at least insofar as the railroads' campaign was directed toward obtaining governmental action, its legality was not at all affected by any anticompetitive purpose it may have had.

Id. at 139-40.

While this Court, in *Pennington*, did not explicitly discuss the right to petition, in *California Motor Transport* this Court said that it had "followed that view" in *Pennington*, referring by "that view" to the two grounds of the *Noerr* decision as identified by the Court in *California Motor Transport*. *California Motor Transport*, 404 U.S. at 510. Also, the *Pennington* Court held expressly, "*Noerr* shields from the Sherman Act a concerted effort to influence public officials regardless of intent or purpose." *Pennington*, 381 U.S. at 670. In *California Motor Transport*, this Court clarified that the "right to petition extends to all departments of the Government. The right of access to the courts is indeed but one aspect of the right of petition." 404 U.S. at 510.

Summarizing key principles from *Noerr* and *Pennington* regarding the right to petition, this Court, in *Professional Real Estate Investors, Inc. v. Columbia Pictures Industries, Inc.*, 508 U.S. 49 (1993), said:

> Those who petition government for redress are generally immune from antitrust liability. . . . In light of the government's "power to act in [its] representative capacity" and "to take actions . . . that operate to restrain trade," we reasoned that the Sherman Act does not punish "political activity" through which "the people . . . freely inform the government of their wishes." Nor did we "impute to Congress an intent to invade" the First Amendment right to petition."[6]

Id. at 56.

Of course, the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine is a constitutional creation responsive to otherwise permissible applications of antitrust law. Nonetheless, the doctrine's justification and this Court's reasoning in elucidating the doctrine, are suggestive of the broader application of constitutional principles. After all, its implications barred this Court from "lightly imput[ing] to Congress an intent to invade" the freedoms protected by the Bill of Rights.

In *BE & K Construction Company v. NLRB*, 536 U.S. 516 (2002), this Court discussed interpreting federal law in light of the right to petition, providing a more complete picture of the issue and the role played by the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine:

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6. This case dealt with the development of a test regarding the sham exception in as it relates to litigation (that the lawsuit must be objectively baseless and must conceal an attempt to interfere *directly* with the business relationships of a competitor). *Professional Real Estate Investors*, 508 U.S. at 60-61.

> The First Amendment provides, in relevant part, that "Congress shall make no law . . . abridging . . . the right of the people . . . to petition the Government for a redress of grievances." We have recognized this right to petition as one of "the most precious of the liberties safeguarded by the Bill of Rights," and have explained that the right is implied by "the very idea of a government, republican in form."
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> We have also considered the right to petition when interpreting federal law. In the antitrust context, for example, we held that "the Sherman Act does not prohibit . . . persons from associating . . . in an attempt to persuade the legislature or the executive to take particular action with respect to a law that would produce a restraint or a monopoly." We based our interpretation in part on the principle that we would not "lightly impute to Congress an intent to invade . . . freedoms" protected by the Bill of Rights, such as the right to petition.[7]

Id. at 524-25 (citations omitted). Through the *Noerr-Pennington* Doctrine, then, this Court has sought to avoid the constitutional difficulties that would result if Acts of Congress were understood to abridge the right to petition.

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7. This case dealt with applying the test from *Professional Real Estate Investors* to litigation brought under the National Labor Relations Act. *BE & K Construction Co.*, 536 U.S. at 526.

II. SIGNIFICANT ACTS OF LEGISLATIVE OR EXECUTIVE POWER DURING THE BLACKOUT PERIOD ARE SHIELDED FROM CRITICAL ANALYSIS AND FROM CALLS FOR REDRESS

This Court has expressed, in cogent terms, the inextricable connection between the right to petition for redress of grievances and maintenance of a republican form of government:

> The right of the people peaceably to assemble for the purpose of petitioning Congress for a redress of grievances, or for any thing else connected with the powers or the duties of the national government, is an attribute of national citizenship, and, as such, under the protection of, and guaranteed by, the United States. The very idea of a government, republican in form, implies a right on the part of its citizens to meet peaceably for consultation in respect to public affairs and to petition for a redress of grievances.

United States v. Cruikshank, 92 U.S. 542, 552-553 (1875).

Will Rogers famously quipped, "The nation is safe . . . Congress is in recess." That view screens reality, which is that the business of government on the federal level in the United States is continuous and on-going. Thus, even with respect to such artificially crafted time frames as the thirty- and sixty-day blackouts imposed by BCRA, the conduct of the Government does not cease.

Even more to the point, the very individuals who enjoy

shielding from being named in genuine issue advertisements continue to govern, either through legislation or administration, and by the exercise of the prerogatives of office can actively affect the national conversation about issues of great public importance. That fact is evidenced by examining artifacts of that governance from covered time periods. The wrong of such an approach is evident from the example presented in the present case.

Here, Wisconsin Right to Life, Inc., sought to use genuine issue advertisements to address the failure of the United States Senate to move forward on judicial nominations. WRTL planned the radio and television broadcasts to take place during the sixty day blackout period before the 2004 general election. The FEC presses the point that no judicial filibuster votes (cloture petitions) were conducted during the blackout period or for the balance of 2004. Brief of the FEC at 11. That interesting "fact" studiously ignores the key governance question: do the legislative and executive branches abandon the nomination and confirmation processes during the covered time period?

The simple answer, and the obvious one, is that neither the legislative nor the executive abandoned the ongoing process of evaluating and/or making nominations and confirmations. The President continued to make nominations, *see, e.g.*, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2034-35 (Sept. 15, 2004) (nomination of J. Michael Seabright), and the Senate continued to conduct hearings, *see, e.g., Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (Sept. 22, 2004). In the appendices to this brief, the ACLJ has collected the actions of the President and of the United States Congress. *See generally*

Appendices A-E. An examination of these artifacts of government action confirms the fact that significant governmental activity takes place during blackout periods and leaves one with the definite suspicion that the silencing of the people's right to petition was more than an accident.

In 2004, the general election took place on Tuesday, November 2, 2004. Sixty days prior to Election Day was Friday, September 3, 2004. For purposes of the prohibition on issue advertisments by grassroots lobbying organizations, thus, the relevant sixty day period blacking out coverage was from September 3, 2004, through November 2, 2004.

During that covered period, the President conducted the following business:

(1) issued four executive orders;
(2) issued twenty-nine proclamations;
(3) signed fifty-five legislative acts or bills into law;
(4) announced thirty-three intentions to nominate;
(5) announced eight intentions to designate;
(6) announced forty-three intentions to appoint;
(7) submitted sixty-six nominations to the Senate;
(8) withdrew three nominations from the Senate;
(9) declared twenty-six federal emergencies or major disasters;
(10) sent twelve presidential communications to Congress;
(11) sent twenty-one presidential communications to federal agencies;
(12) issued three executive notices;
(13) issued twelve statements;
(14) made remarks after eight meetings with foreign

leaders;

(15) made seventy remarks regarding the 2004 federal election;

(16) made twenty-two general remarks;

(17) made seven radio addresses; and

(18) had two other media interactions. These executive actions are gathered in Appendix A to this brief.

In 2006, the general election took place on Tuesday, November 7th. Sixty days prior to Election Day was Friday, September 8th. For purposes of the prohibition on issue advertisements by grassroots lobbying organizations, thus, the relevant sixty day period blacking out coverage was from September 8, 2006, through November 7, 2006.

During that covered period, the President conducted the following business:

(1) issued three executive orders;

(2) issued thirty-five proclamations;

(3) signed ninety-one legislative acts or bills into law;

(4) announced twenty-nine intentions to nominate;

(5) announced one intention to designate;

(6) submitted thirty-one nominations to the Senate;

(7) withdrew three nominations;

(8) made two recess appointments;

(9) announced twenty-five intentions to appoint people to non-principal offices;

(10) issued one statement on the retirement of a federal employee;

(11) declared ten federal emergencies or major disasters;

(12) sent seventeen presidential communications to

congress;

(13) sent twelve presidential communications to federal agencies;

(14) made thirty-one statements;

(15) made remarks made after nineteen meetings with foreign leaders;

(16) made thirty six remarks regarding the 2006 federal election;

(17) made forty-one general remarks;

(18) made nine radio addresses;

(18) had three other media interactions; and

(19) had four miscellaneous occasions at which the President spoke. These executive actions are gathered in Appendix A to this brief, at Appdx. A1, *et seq*.

Just as the President continued day by day with the government of the Nation, in both 2004 and 2006, Congress continued in session into the sixty day blackout period, holding floor votes, *see* Appendix B, hearings, *see* Appendix C, issuing reports, *see* Appendix D, and addressing a broad variety of issues, both those that seem petty and those that were essential to the national interest, *see* Appendix E.

An examination of the actions of the President and of the Congress during these two sixty day blackout periods reveals both a broad scope of actions and an equally broad sweep of subjects of governance. Petty matters and vital, each found themselves placed on the Nation's center stage by executive or legislative *ipse dixit*. But, because of the black-out period, the floor votes, the nomination hearings and reports, the joint press conferences with foreign leaders, and the remarks from the well of the House or Senate, are conducted in a silence that is

all the more profound because the voice silenced is the petitioning voice of the People.

CONCLUSION

The business of government certainly does not cease for thirty and sixty day periods in advance of federal elections. Nor will the People consent to being silenced by the legislative *ipse dixit* that the business of being governed must be conducted under cover of silence. Just as this Court concluded, in the context of antitrust laws, that the First Amendment required that berth be given to combinations for the purpose of obtaining a redress of grievances, this Court should undertake in the present cases to apply a rule that excludes from the reach of the issue advertisement ban those advertisements that are not shams upon the public.

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APPENDIX

Appendix A

ACTIONS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES DURING THE SIXTY DAYS PRIOR TO THE GENERAL ELECTION 2004 AND 2006*

2004 EXECUTIVE ACTIONS

Executive Orders (4)

1. Termination of Emergency Declared in Executive Order 12543 With Respect to the Policies and Actions of the Government of Libya and Revocation of Related Executive Orders, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2067 (Sept. 20, 2004).

2. Assignment of Functions Relating to Certain Appointments, Promotions, and Commissions in the Armed Forces, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2172 (Sept. 30, 2004).

3. Amendment to Executive Order 13173, Interagency Task Force on the Economic Development of the Central San Joaquin Valley, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2505 (Oct. 20, 2004).

4. Providing Opportunities for Service-Disabled Veteran Businesses To Increase Their Federal Contracting and Subcontracting, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2505 (Oct. 20, 2004).

Proclamations (29)

1. Minority Enterprise Development Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1850 (Sept. 4, 2004).

2. Proclamation to Modify the Generalized System of Preferences, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1892 (Sept. 7, 2004).

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*. In 2004, the general election took place on Tuesday, November 2nd. Sixty days prior to Election Day was Friday, September 3rd. In 2006, the general election took place on Tuesday, November 7th. Sixty days prior to Election Day was Friday, September 8th.

3. National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1949 (Sept. 10, 2004).

4. National Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1950 (Sept. 10, 2004).

5. National Days of Prayer and Remembrance, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1951 (Sept. 10, 2004).

6. Patriot Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1952 (Sept. 10, 2004).

7. National Prostate Cancer Awareness Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1992 (Sept. 14, 2004).

8. National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week, 4 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1993 (Sept. 14, 2004).

9. National POW / MIA Recognition Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1993 (Sept. 14, 2004).

10. Citizenship Day and Constitution Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2032 (Sept. 17, 2004).

11. National Hispanic Heritage Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2047 (Sept. 17, 2004).

12. National Farm Safety and Health Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2066 (Sept. 20, 2004).

13. National Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2082 (Sept. 21, 2004).

14. Family Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2137 (Sept. 24, 2004).

15. National Hunting and Fishing Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2150 (Sept. 24, 2004).

16. National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2216 (Oct. 1, 2004).

17. Child Health Day 2259, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2259 (Oct. 4, 2004).

18. National Fire Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2259 (Oct. 4, 2004).

19. German-American Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2275 (Oct. 6, 2004).

20. Leif Erikson Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2223 (Oct. 7, 2004).

21. General Pulaski Memorial Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2351 (Oct. 11, 2004).

22. National School Lunch Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2363 (Oct. 12, 2004).

23. Columbus Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2351 (Oct. 13, 2004).

24. National Mammography Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2422 (Oct. 15, 2004).

25. White Cane Safety Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2523 (Oct. 15, 2004).

26. National Character Counts Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2455 (Oct. 18, 2004).

27. National Disability Employment Awareness Month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2503 (Oct. 18, 2004).

28. National Forest Products Week, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2504 (Oct. 20, 2004).

29. Gold Star Mother's Day, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2152 (Oct. 25, 2004).

Signed Legislation (55)

1. Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1924 (Sept. 8, 2004).

2. Sports Agent Responsibility and Trust Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2142 (Sept. 24, 2004).

3. To provide for the conveyance of the real property located at 1081 West Main Street in Ravenna, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2142 (Sept. 24, 2004).

4. To provide an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business

Investment Act of 1958 through September 30, 2004, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2142 (Sept. 24, 2004).

5. Harpers Ferry National Historical Park Boundary Revision Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2142 (Sept. 24, 2004).

6. Welform Reform Extension Act, Part VIII, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2207 (Sept. 30, 2004).

7. Making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2005, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2207 (Sept. 30, 2004).

8. Surface Transportation Extension Act of 2004, Part V, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2207 (Sept. 30, 2004).

9. Working Families Tax Relief Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 4, 2004).

10. Mount Rainier National Park Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

11. Johnstown Flood National Memorial Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

12. Martin Luther King, Junior, National Historic Site Land Exchange Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

13. Carpinteria and Montecito Water Distribution Systems Conveyance Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

14. To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the Williamson County, Texas, Water Recycling and Reuse Project, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

15. Southwest Forest Health and Wildfire Prevention Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2287 (Oct. 5, 2004).

16. To amend the Reclamation Project Authorization Act of 1972 to clarify the acreage for which the North Loup division is authorized to provide irrigation water under the Missouri River Basin project, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

17. To extend the term of the Forest Counties Payments Committee, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

18. To amend the Stevenson-Wydler Technology Innovation Act of 1980 to permit Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Awards to be made to nonprofit organizations, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

19. Timucuan Ecological and Historic Preserve Boundary Revision Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

20. Commemorating the opening of the National Museum of the American Indian, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

21. Railroad Right-of-Way Conveyance Validation Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 5, 2004).

22. To reauthorize the Tropical Forest Conservation Act of 1998 through fiscal year 2007, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2288 (Oct. 6, 2004).

23. Military Construction Appropriations and Emergency Hurricane Supplemental Appropriations Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2413 (Oct. 13, 2004).

24. Craig Recreation Land Purchase Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2413 (Oct. 13, 2004).

25. To clarify the tax treatment of bonds and other obligations issued by the Government of American Samoa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

26. National Wildlife Refuge Volunteer Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

27. To amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to reauthorize the New York City Watershed Protection Program, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

28. To amend the Act of November 2, 1966 (80 Stat. 1112), to allow binding arbitration clauses to be included in all contracts affecting the land within the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

29. Department of Homeland Security Financial Accountability Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

30. To authorize the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution to carry out construction and related activities in support of the collaborative Very Energetic Radiation Imaging Telescope Array System (VERITAS) project on Kitt Peak near Tucson, Arizona, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

31. Global Anti-Semitism Review Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 16, 2004).

32. North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 18, 2004).

33. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 18, 2004).

34. District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2530 (Oct. 18, 2004).

35. Southern Ute and Colorado Intergovernmental Agreement Implementation Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

36. Alaska Native Allotment Subdivision Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

37. To direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey to the New Hope Cemetery Association certain land in the State of Arkansas for use as a cemetery, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

38. To replace certain Coastal Barrier Resources System maps, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

39. Manhattan Project National Historical Park Study Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

40. To transfer Federal lands between the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

41. El Camino Real de los Tejas National Historic Trail Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

42. Tapoco Project Licensing Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

43. To revise and extend the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

44. To redesignate the Ridges Basin Reservoir, Colorado, as Lake Nighthorse, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

45. Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Land Exchange Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 18, 2004).

46. The Belarus Democracy Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2502 (Oct. 20, 2004).

47. To authorize the Gateway Arch in St. Louis, Missouri, to be illuminated by pink lights in honor of breast cancer awareness month, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 20, 2004).

48. To amend the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995 to permit members of the Board of Directors of the Office of Compliance to serve for 2 terms, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

49. To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell or exchange all or part of certain administrative sites and other land in the Ozark-St. Francis and Ouachita National Forests and to use funds derived from the sale or exchange to acquire, construct, or improve administrative sites, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

50. To amend the Lease Lot Conveyance Act of 2002 to provide that the amounts received by the United States under that Act shall be deposited in the reclamation fund, and for other purposes, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

51. National Park System Laws Technical Amendments Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

52. To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4141 Postmark Drive, Anchorage, Alaska, as the "Robert J. Opinsky Post Office Building," 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

53. Chimayo Water Supply System and Espanola Filtration Facility Act of 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

54. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

55. To extend certain authority of the Supreme Court Police, modify the venue of prosecutions relating to the Supreme Court building and grounds, and authorize the acceptance of gifts to the United States Supreme Court, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2531 (Oct. 21, 1004).

Announced Intent to Nominate (33), Designate (8) or to Appoint (43)

Personnel Announcement on September 7, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1920 (Sept. 7, 2004)

1. The President announced his intention to designate Tim S. McClain as Acting Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Human Resources and Administration).

2. The President announced his intention to designate Cortright Wetherill, Jr., as a Chairman of the Advisory Committee on the Arts, John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

3. The President announced his intention to appoint W. Roy Grizzard as a member of the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

4. The President announced his intention to appoint Michele Longo Eder and Thomas C. Royer as members of the Arctic Research Commission.

5. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee: Lawrence T. Babbio, Jr.; Gregory Q. Brown; Ken Dahlberg; William J. Hannigan; Stan Sigman; and Joseph R. Wright.

6. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts: Elisabeth D. DeVos, Mary Mochary, Mary M. Ourisman, Gabrielle B. Reynolds, David Rubenstein, Stephen Schwarzman, Alex Spanos, and Sandy Treadwell.

7. The President announced his intention to appoint Cheryl Bates-Harris and Dorothy L. Watson as members of the Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Advisory Panel.

8. The President announced his intention to designate Berthy De La Rosa-Aponte, as Chairperson of the Ticket to Work and Work Incentives Advisory Panel.

Personnel Announcement on September 8, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1920-21 (Sept. 8, 2004).1. The President announced

his intention to nominate Catherine Todd Bailey to be Ambassador to Latvia.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Thomas V. Skinner to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency (Enforcement and Compliance Assurance).

3. The President announced his intention to nominate Douglas Menarchik to be an Assistant Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development (Policy and Program Coordination).

4. The President announced his intention to nominate Howard J. Krongard to be Inspector General of the Department of State.

5. The President announced his intention to designate Daniel R. Levinson as Acting Inspector General at the Department of Health and Human Services.

Personnel Announcement on September 10, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1921 (Sept. 10, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Richard Greco, Jr., to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management) at the Department of Defense.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Patrick J. Leahy and John E. Sununu to be U.S. Representatives to the General Assembly of the United Nations.

3. The President announced his intention to appoint Lisa Kirk Colburn as a member of the Advisory Committee on the Arts, John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

4. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Public Interest Declassification Board: L. Britt Snider (Chairman), Martin Faga, Steven Garfinkel, Elizabeth Rindskopf Parker, and Richard N. Smith.

Personnel Announcement on September 14, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 14, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Michael J. Harrison to be Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Administration.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Pamela Hughes Patenaude to be Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development for Community Planning and Development.

Personnel Announcement on September 15, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 15, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Francis J. Harvey to be Secretary of the Army.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Arden Bement, Jr., to be Director of the National Science Foundation.

Personnel Announcement on September 17, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2034 (Sept. 17, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Jesus H. Delgado-Jenkins to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Management) and, upon appointment, to designate him as Chief Financial Officer.

Personnel Announcement on September 20, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2140 (Sept. 20, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Susan L. Moore to be U.S. Alternate Representative to the 59th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

2. The President announced his intention to appoint Charles J. Chaput and Michael Lewis Cromartie as members of the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom.

Personnel Announcement on September 23, 40 Weekly Pres. Doc. 2140 (Sept. 23, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Ryan C. Crocker to be Ambassador to Pakistan.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Marcie B. Ries to be Ambassador to Albania.

3. The President announced his intention to nominate Buddie J. Penn to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Environment).

4. The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the National Science Board: Dan Arvizu, Steven C. Beering, Gerald Wayne Clough, Kelvin Kay Droegemeier, Louis J. Lanzerotti, Alan I. Leshner, Jon C. Strauss, and Kathryn D. Sullivan.

5. The President announced his intention to designate Edwin Pinero as the Federal Environmental Executive at the Environmental Protection Agency.

Personnel Announcement on October 1, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2206 (Oct. 1, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Ronald Rosenfeld to be a Director on the Board of Directors of the Federal Housing Finance Board.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Michael Butler to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation.

3. The President announced his intention to appoint Robin Cook, Charles L. Glazer, and Peter S. Watson to be members of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

4. The President announced his intention to appoint David Wayne Anderson, Cynthia R. Church, and Soyna E. Medina as members of the Board of Trustees of the American Folklife Center.

5. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Commission on the Abraham Lincoln Study Abroad Fellowship Program: John K. Andrews, Jr.; Jim Edgar; Lynette Boggs McDonald; and Lyn Bracewell Phillips.

6. The President announced his intention to appoint Scott Wallace (Chairman), C. Martin Harris, and William W. Stead as members of the Commission on Systemic Interoperability. Personnel Announcement on October 8, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2285-86 (Oct. 8, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Frederick William Hatfield to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Harold Damelin to be Inspector General of the Department of the Treasury.

3. The President announced his intention to nominate Edward L. Flippen to be Inspector General of the Corporation for National and Community Service.

4. The President announced his intention to nominate Brian David Miller to be Inspector General of the General Services Administration.

5. The President announced his intention to appoint Gen. Richard B. Myers, USAF, as a Governor on the Board of Governors of the American National Red Cross.

6. The President announced his intention to nominate Jorge A. Plasencia to be a member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting.

7. The President announced his intention to nominate Carolyn L. Gallagher and Louis J. Giuliano to be Governors on the Board of Governors of the U.S. Postal Service.

8. The President announced his intention to appoint A. Wilson Greene and Katina P. Strauch as members of the National Museum and Library Services Board.

Personnel Announcement on October 15, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2412 (Oct. 15, 2004).

1. The President announced his intention to designate Darrell Irions and Dee J. Kelly, Jr., as members of the Board of Governors on the United Service Organizations, Inc.

2. The President announced his intention to designate William A. Moorman as Acting Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Management.

Nominations Submitted To (66) or Withdrawn From (3) the Senate

Submitted September 7, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1921 (Sept. 7, 2004).

1. Paul A. Crotty, of New York, to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of New York, vice Harold Baer, Jr., retiring.

2. Porter J. Goss, of Florida, to be Director of Central Intelligence, vice George John Tenet, resigned.

3. D. Michael Rappoport, of Arizona, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008 (reappointment).

Submitted September 8, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1922 (Sept. 8, 2004).

1. Catherine Todd Bailey, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Latvia.

2. Raymond F. DuBois, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Logistics and Materiel Readiness, vice Diane K. Morales, resigned.

3. Howard J. Krongard, of New Jersey, to be Inspector General, Department of State, vice Clark Kent Ervin.

4. Douglas Menarchik, of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development, vice Patrick M. Cronin, resigned.

5. Thomas V. Skinner, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice John Peter Suarez, resigned.

Submitted September 10, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1922-23 (Sept. 10, 2004).

1. Carin M. Barth, of Texas, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, vice Angela Antonelli, resigned, to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

2. Jonathan W. Dudas, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, vice James Edward Rogan, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

3. Albert A. Frink, Jr., of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, vice Linda Mysliwy Conlin, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

4. Susan Johnson Grant, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Energy, vice Bruce Marshall Carnes, resigned, to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

5. Ricardo H. Hinojosa, of Texas, to be Chair of the U.S. Sentencing Commission, vice Diana E. Murphy, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

6. Nadine Hogan, of Florida, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term

expiring June 26, 2008, vice Frank D. Yturria, resigned, to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

7. Stephen L. Johnson, of Maryland, to be Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, vice Linda J. Fisher, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

8. Paul Jones, of Colorado, to be a member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term expiring September 14, 2008, vice Charles L. Kolbe, term expired, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

9. James R. Kunder, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development, vice Wendy Jean Chamberlin, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

10. Jon D. Leibowitz, of Maryland, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for a term of 7 years from September 26, 2003, vice Mozelle Willmont Thompson, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

11. Deborah P. Majoras, of Virginia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for the unexpired term of 7 years from September 26, 2001, vice Timothy J. Muris, resigned, to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

12. John D. Rood, of Florida, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States ofAmerica to the Commonwealth of The Bahamas, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

13. Enrique J. Sosa, of Florida, to be a member of the Reform Board (Amtrak) for a term of 5 years, vice Linwood Holton, term expired, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

14. Charles Graves Untermeyer, of Texas, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the State of Qatar, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

15. Jack Vaughn, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2006, vice Patricia Hill Williams, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

16. Gary Lee Visscher, of Maryland, to be a member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of 5 years, vice Isadore Rosenthal, term expired, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

17. Richard Kenneth Wagner, of Florida, to be a member of the National Institute for Literacy Advisory Board for a term expiring November 25, 2006, vice Robin Morris, term expired, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

18. Scott Kevin Walker, of Wisconsin, to be a member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation, vice Anthony S. Earl, resigned, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

19. Roger W. Wallace, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008, vice Fred P. DuVal, to which position he was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

20. Aldona Wos, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Estonia, to which position she was appointed during the last recess of the Senate.

21. Sean F. Cox, of Michigan, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, vice Lawrence P. Zatkoff, retired.

Submitted September 13, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2034 (Sept. 13, 2004).

1. Richard Greco, Jr., of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, vice Dionel M. Aviles.

2. Patrick J. Leahy, of Vermont, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the 59th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

3. John E. Sununu, of New Hampshire, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the 59th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

4. Ryan C. Crocker, of Washington, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

5. Marc Isaiah Grossman, of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

6. A. Elizabeth Jones, of Maryland, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

7. Alan Philip Larson, of Iowa, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

8. Johnny Young, of Maryland, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

Withdrawn September 13, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2034 (Sept. 13, 2004).

1. Robert Jepson, of Georgia, to be a member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term expiring September 14, 2008, vice Karen Hastie Williams, term expired, which was sent to the Senate on December 9, 2003.

Submitted September 15, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2034-35 (Sept. 15, 2004).

2. Arden Bement, Jr., of Indiana, to be Director of the National Science Foundation for a term of 6 years, vice Rita R. Colwell, resigned.

3. Michael J. Harrison, of Connecticut, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, vice Lou Gallegos, resigned.

4. Francis J. Harvey, of California, to be Secretary of the Army, vice Thomas E. White, resigned.

5. Pamela Hughes Patenaude, of New Hampshire, to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, vice Romolo A. Bernardi.

6. J. Michael Seabright, of Hawaii, to be U.S. District Judge for the District of Hawaii, vice Alan C. Kay, retired.

Withdrawn September 15, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2035 (Sept. 15, 2004).

1. Francis J. Harvey, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice John P. Stenbit, which was sent to the Senate on November 6, 2003.

Submitted September 20, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2141 (Sept. 20, 2004).

1. Jesus H. Delgado-Jenkins, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, vice Teresa M. Ressel, resigned.

2. Beryl A. Howell, of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the U.S. Sentencing Commission for the remainder of the term expiring October 31, 2005, vice Diana E. Murphy, resigned.

3. Susan L. Moore,of Texas, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the 59th Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.
Submitted September 21, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2141 (Sept 21, 2004).
1. William A. Moorman, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims for the term of 15 years, vice Kenneth B. Kramer, term expired.
Submitted September 23, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2141-42 (Sept. 23, 2004).
1. Dan Arvizu, of Colorado, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Maxine L. Savitz, term expired.
2. Steven C. Beering, of Indiana, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010 (reappointment).
3. Gerald Wayne Clough, of Georgia, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Anita K. Jones, term expired.
4. Ryan C. Crocker, of Washington, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
5. Kelvin Kay Droegemeier, of Oklahoma, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Robert C. Richardson, term expired.
6. Louis J. Lanzerotti, of New Jersey, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice George M. Langford, term expired.

7. Alan I. Leshner, of Maryland, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Luis Sequeira,term expired.
8. Buddie J. Penn, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, vice H.T. Johnson.
9. Marcie B. Ries,of the District of Columbia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Albania.
10. Jon C. Strauss, of California, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Joseph A. Miller, Jr., term expired.
11. Kathryn D. Sullivan, of Ohio, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2010, vice Pamela A. Ferguson.
Submitted October 5, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 5, 2004).
1. Michael Butler, of Tennessee, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2008, vice Eric D. Eberhard, term expired.
2. Ronald Rosenfeld, of Oklahoma, to be a Director of the Federal Housing Finance Board for the remainder of the term expiring February 27, 2009, vice John Thomas Korsmo, resigned.
Submitted October 7, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).
1. Harold Damelin, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of the Treasury, vice Jeffrey Rush, Jr., resigned.

2. Edward L. Flippen, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Corporation for National and Community Service, vice J. Russell George.

3. Frederick William Hatfield, of California, to be a Commissioner of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission for the term expiring April 13, 2008, vice Thomas J. Erickson, term expired.

4. Brian David Miller, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, General Services Administration, vice Daniel R. Levinson.

5. Jorge A. Plasencia, of Florida, to be a member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term expiring October 27, 2006, vice Joseph Francis Glennon, term expired.

Withdrawn October 7, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

1. James B. Cunningham, of Pennsylvania, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, to be Representative of the United States of America to the Vienna office of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, and to be Representative of the United States of America to the International Atomic Energy Agency, with the rank of Ambassador, which were sent to the Senate on April 8, 2004.

Submitted October 8, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 8, 2004).

1. Carolyn L. Gallagher, of Texas, to be a Governor of the U.S. Postal Service for the remainder of the term expiring December 8, 2005, vice Erensta Ballard, resigned.

2. Louis J. Giuliano, of New York, to be a Governor of the U.S. Postal Service for a term expiring December 8, 2009, vice Albert Casey.

Declared Federal Emergencies or Major Disasters (26)

1. Declared Major Disaster in the Commonwealth of Virginia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1817 (Sept. 3, 2004).
2. Declared Major Disaster in Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1920 (Sept. 4, 2004).
3. Declared Major Disaster in North Carolina, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1921 (Sept. 10, 2004).
4. Declared Major Disaster in South Carolina, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 16, 2004).
5. Declared Major Disaster in Alabama, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 16, 2004).
6. Declared Major Disaster in Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 16, 2004).
7. Declared Major Disaster in Louisiana, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 16, 2004).
8. Declared Major Disaster in Mississippi, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2033 (Sept. 16, 2004).
9. Declared Major Disaster in Georgia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2139 (Sept. 18, 2004).
10. Declared Major Disaster in North Carolina, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2139 (Sept. 18, 2004).
11. Declared Two Major Disasters in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2139-40 (Sept. 19, 2004).
12. Declared Major Disaster in West Virginia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2140 (Sept. 20, 2004).
13. Declared Major Disaster in Vermont, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2140 (Sept. 23, 2004).
14. Declared Major Disaster in Georgia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2141 (Sept. 24, 2004).
15. Declared Major Disaster in Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2205 (Sept. 26, 2004).
16. Declared Major Disaster in Kansas, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2206 (Sept. 30, 2004).

17. Declared Two Major Disasters in New York, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2284 (Oct. 2, 2004).

18. Declared Major Disaster in New Jersey, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2284 (Oct. 2, 2004).

19. Declared Increase in Federal Funding Available for Previous Major Disaster in Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

20. Declared Major Disaster in South Carolina, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

21. Declared Major Disaster in Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

22. Declared Major Disaster in the U.S. Virgin Islands, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

23. Declared Major Disaster in Tennessee, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2286 (Oct. 7, 2004).

24. Declared Major Disaster in the Commonwealth of Virginia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2529 (Oct. 18, 2004)

Communications to Congress (12)

1. Supplemental budget request to support comprehensive response and recovery efforts after Hurricane Charley, letter transmitting, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1856 (Sept. 6, 2004).

2. Budget amendments, letter transmitting, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1894 (Sept. 7, 2004)

3. Iraq, notification of intent to designate as a beneficiary developing country for purposes of the Generalized System of Preferences, message transmitting, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1894 (Sept. 7, 2004)

4. Barbados-U.S. Taxation Convention, message transmitting second protocol amending, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1980 (Sept. 13, 2004).

5. Emergency supplemental appropriations requests, letter transmitting, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1994 (Sept. 14, 2004).

6. Libya, message on termination of national emergency, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2607 (Sept. 20, 2004)

7. Terrorism, message on continuation of national emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2083 (Sept. 21, 2004).

8. Energy Department, letter transmitting budget amendment, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2139 (Sept. 24, 2004).

9. Budget request to support comprehensive response and recovery efforts after Hurricane Jeanne, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2262 (Oct. 5, 2004).

10. Budget request to support comprehensive response and recovery efforts after Hurricane Jeanne, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2262 (Oct. 5, 2004)

11. Terrorist attacks on the United States, continuation of the national emergency, message transmitting notice, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1919 (Sept. 10, 2004).

12. Letter to Congressional Leaders on Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Significant Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2476 (Oct. 19, 2004).

Communications to Federal Agencies (21)

1. Combined Federal Campaign, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1863 (Sept. 6, 2004).

2. Continuation of the Exercise of Certain Authorities Under the Trading With the Enemy Act, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1917 (Sept. 10, 2004).

3. Presidential Determination and Certification Concerning Libya Under Sections of the Arms Export Control

Act and Determination on Export-Import Bank Support for U.S. Exports to Libya, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1917 (Sept. 10, 2004).

4. Presidential Determination With Respect to Foreign Governments' Efforts Regarding Trafficking in Persons, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1918 (Sept. 10, 2004).

5. Presidential Determination on Major Drug Transit or Major Illicit Drug Producing Countries for FY05, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1998 (Sept. 15, 2004).

6. Intention to Grant Waiver of the Application of Section 901(j) of the Internal Revenue Code with Respect to Libya, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2068 (Sept. 20, 2004).

7. Determination and Waiver of Application of Section 908(a)(1) of the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export Enhancement Act of 2000 with Respect to Libya, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2169 (Sept. 20, 2004).

8. Government-to-Government Relationship with Tribal Governments, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2106 (Sept. 23, 2004).

9. Presidential Determination on Eligibility of the African Union to Receive Defense Articles and Services Under the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as Amended, and the Arms Export Control Act, as Amended, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2131 (Sept. 24, 2004).

10. Certification Permitting Rescission of Iraq as a Sponsor of Terrorism, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2138 (Sept. 24, 2004).

11. Determination to Make Available Assistance for Sudan, memorandum, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2138 (Sept. 24, 2004).

12. Transfer of Funds under Section 610 of the Foreign Assistance Program, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2198 (Sept. 30, 2004).

13. Presidential Determination on FY 2005 Refugee Admissions Numbers and Authorizations of In-Country Refugee Status Pursuant to Sections 207 and 101(a)(42), respectively, of the Immigration and Nationality Act, and Determination Pursuant to Section 2(b)(2) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act, as Amended, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2197 (Oct. 1, 2004).

14. Determination pursuant to 2(c)(1) of the Migration Refugee Assistance Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2284 (Oct. 7, 2004).

15. Waiver and Certification of Statutory Provisions Regarding the Palestine Liberation Organization, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2415 (Oct. 14, 2004).

16. Waiver and Certification of Statutory Provisions Regarding the Palestine Liberation Organization, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2415 (Oct. 14, 2004).

17. Provision of U.S. Drug Interdiction Assistance to the Government of Brazil, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2444 (Oct. 15, 2004).

18. Presidential Determination on Use of Cooperative Threat Reduction Funds in Albania Under Section 1308 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2507 (Oct. 20, 2004).

19. Presidential Determination Relating to Obligation of Cooperative Threat Reduction Funds in Albania Under Section 1308 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2004, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2508 (Oct. 20, 2004).

20. Delegation of Certain Functions Related to the Sudan Peace Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2521 (Oct. 21, 2004).

21. Designation and Authorization To Perform Functions Under Section 319F-2 of the Public Health Service Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2522 (Oct. 21, 2004).

Executive Notices (3)

1. Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Certain Terrorist Attacks, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1919 (Sept. 10, 2004)

2. Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Persons Who Commit, Threaten To Commit, or Support Terrorism, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2084 (Sept. 21, 2004).

3. Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Significant Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2475 (Oct. 19, 2004).

Statements (12)

1. Statement Regarding the Millennium Challenge Account, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2024 (Sept. 16, 2004)

2. Statement on U.S. Commission on Ocean Policy, final report, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2066 (Sept. 21, 2004)

3. Statement on the Senate confirmation of Porter J. Goss as Director of Central Intelligence, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2104 (Sept. 21, 2004)

4. Statement on the Congressional passage of legislation to extend tax relief, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2125 (Sept. 21, 2004)

5. Joint Statement United States of America and the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2104 (Sept. 23, 2004)

6. Statement to the House of Representatives on a constitutional amendment on marriage, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2175 (Sept. 30, 2004).

7. Statement Regarding the House of Representatives Action on Legislation to Reinstate the Draft, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2261 (Oct. 5, 2004)

8. Statement Regarding the Death of Gordon Cooper, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2261 (Oct. 5, 2004)

9. Statement Regarding Senate Passage of the National Intelligence Reform Act, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2274 (Oct. 6, 2004)

10. Statement Regarding Terrorist Attacks in Egypt, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2284 (Oct. 8, 2004)

11. Statement Regarding the Death of Christopher Reeve, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2350 (Oct. 11, 2004).

12. Statement at Leyte Island on the anniversary of the Allied landing, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2475 (Oct. 19, 2004).

Remarks After Meetings With Foreign Leaders (8)

1. U.N. General Assembly in New York City, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2075 (Sept. 21, 2004).

2. Meeting with Prime Minister Singh of India, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2075 (Sept. 21, 2004).

3. Meeting with Prime Minister Allawi of Iraq, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2080 (Sept. 21, 2004).

4. Luncheon with U.N. Secretary Annan in New York City, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2082 (Sept. 21, 2004).

5. Reception for Heads of State in New York City, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2084 (Sept. 21, 2004).

6. Meeting with President Musharraf of Pakistan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2104 (Sept. 22, 2004).

7. Meeting with Prime Minister Allawi of Iraq, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2107 (Sept. 23, 2004).

8. News Conference with Prime Minister Allawi of Iraq, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2107 (Sept. 23, 2004).

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Campaign 2004 (70)

1. Remarks in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1819 (Sept. 3, 2004).

2. Remarks in Erie, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1845 (Sept. 4, 2004).

3. Discussion in Broadview Heights, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1824 (Sept. 4, 2004).

4. Remarks in Kirtland, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1839 (Sept. 4, 2004).

5. Remarks in Parkersburg, West Virginia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1851 (Sept. 5, 2004).

6. Remarks in Poplar Bluff, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1857 (Sept. 6, 2004).

7. Remarks in Columbia, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1886 (Sept. 7, 2004).

8. Remarks in Lees Summit, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1863 (Sept. 7, 2004).

9. Discussion in Sedalia, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1869 (Sept. 7, 2004).

10. Remarks in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1903 (Sept. 9, 2004).

11. Remarks in Colmar, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1896 (Sept. 9, 2004).

12. Remarks in Huntington, West Virginia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1910 (Sept. 10, 2004).

13. Remarks in Chillicothe, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1943 (Sept. 10, 2004).

14. Remarks in Portsmouth, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1925 (Sept. 10, 2004).

15. Remarks in Ironton, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1916 (Sept. 10, 2004).

16. Remarks in Battle Creek, Michigan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1973 (Sept. 13, 2004).

17. Remarks in Holland, Michigan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1966 (Sept. 13, 2004).

18. Remarks in Muskegon, Michigan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1966 (Sept. 13, 2004).

19. Remarks in Greenwood Village, Colorado, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1981 (Sept. 14, 2004).

20. Remarks in St. Cloud, Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1987 (Sept. 16, 2004).

21. Victory Committee Reception, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2025 (Sept. 17, 2004).

22. Remarks in Rochester, Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2018 (Sept. 17, 2004).

23. Discussion in Derry, New Hampshire, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2050 (Sept. 20, 2004).

24. Rally in New York City, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2069 (Sept. 20, 2004).

25. Remarks in Latrobe, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2097 (Sept. 22, 2004).

26. Remarks in Racine, Wisconsin, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2143 (Sept. 24, 2004).

27. Remarks in West Chester, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2164 (Sept. 27, 2004).

28. Remarks in Xenia, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2164 (Sept. 27, 2004).

29. Debate Watch Party in Coral Gables, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2195 (Sept. 30, 2004).

30. Remarks in Stuart, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2174 (Sept. 30, 2004).

31. Presidential Debate in Coral Gables, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2175 (Sept. 30, 2004).

32. Remarks in Allentown, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2198 (Oct. 1, 2004).

33. Remarks in Manchester, NH, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2209 (Oct. 1, 2004).

34. Discussion in Mansfield, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2223 (Oct. 2, 2004).

35. Remarks in Cuyahoga Falls, Iowa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2235 (Oct. 2, 2004).

36. Discussion in Clive, IA, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2244 (Oct. 4, 2004).

37. Remarks in Farmington Hills, Michigan, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2268 (Oct. 6, 2004).

38. Remarks in Wilkes-Barre, PA, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2262 (Oct. 6, 2004).

39. Departure for Wausau, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2275 (Oct. 7, 2004).

40. Remarks in Wausau, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2275 (Oct. 7, 2004).

41. Debate watch party in Ballwin, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2311 (Oct. 8, 2004).

42. Presidential Debate in St. Louis, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2289 (Oct. 8, 2004).

43. Remarks in Chanhannses, Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2324 (Oct. 9, 2004).

44. Breakfast for Gubernatorial Candidate Matt Blunt, St. Louis, Missouri, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2312 (Oct. 9, 2004).

45. Remarks in Hobbs, New Mexico, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2330 (Oct. 11, 2004).

46. Remarks in Morrison, Colorado, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2344 (Oct. 11, 2004).

47. Luncheon for Senatorial Candidate Pete Coors in Denver, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2338 (Oct. 11, 2004).

48. Remarks in Paradise Valley, Arizona, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2359 (Oct. 12, 2004).

49. Debate watch party in Phoenix, Arizona, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2384 (Oct. 13, 2004).

50. Presidential Debate, Tempe, Arizona, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2364 (Oct. 13, 2004).

51. Remarks in Las Vegas, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2387 (Oct. 14, 2004).

52. Remarks in Reno, Las Vegas, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2393 (Oct. 14, 2004).

53. Remarks in Oshkosh, Wisconsin, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2415 (Oct. 15, 2004).

54. Remarks in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2405 (Oct. 15, 2004).

55. Remarks in Central Point, Oregon, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2399 (Oct. 15, 2004).

56. Remarks in Sunrise, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2425 (Oct. 16, 2004).

57. Remarks in Daytona Beach, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2438 (Oct. 16, 2004).

58. Remarks in West Palm Beach, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2432 (Oct. 16, 2004).

59. Remarks in New Port Richey, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2463 (Oct. 19, 2004).

60. Remarks in St. Petersburg, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2455 (Oct. 19, 2004)

61. Waterloo, Iowa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2318 (Oct. 19, 2004).

62. Remarks in The Village, Florida, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2468 (Oct. 19, 2004).

63. Remarks in Mason City, Iowa, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2476 (Oct. 20, 2004).

64. Remarks in Rochester, Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2483 (Oct. 20, 2004).

65. Discussion in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2493 (Oct. 20, 2004).

66. Remarks in Downingtown, PA, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2508 (Oct. 21, 2004).

67. Remarks in Hershey, PA, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2515 (Oct. 21, 2004).

68. Remarks in Wilkes-Barre, PA, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2522 (Oct. 22, 2004).

69. Remarks in Marlton, New Jersey, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2446 (Oct. 22, 2004).

70. Remarks in Marlton, New Jersey, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2452 (Oct. 22, 2004).

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1. Meeting with Congressional Leaders, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1895 (Sept. 8, 2004).

2. Visit to the National Hurricane Center in Miami, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1895 (Sept. 8, 2004).

3. Remarks on Intelligence Reform, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1895 (Sept. 8, 2004).

4. Remarks on terrorist attacks in Russia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1953 (Sept. 12, 2004).

5. General Conference of the National Guard Association of United States in Las Vegas, NV, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1987 (Sept. 14, 2004).

6. Message on Rosh Hashanah, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1992 (Sept. 14, 2004).

7. Hispanic Heritage Month Reception, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1995 (Sept. 15, 2004).

8. Discussion on Health Care in Blaine, Minnesota, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2007 (Sept. 16, 2004).

9. Discussion on women's issue in Charlotte, North Carolina, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2013 (Sept. 17, 2004).

10. Meeting with First Responders in Orange Beach, Alabama, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2409 (Sept. 19, 2004).

11. Discussion on education in King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2085 (Sept. 22, 2004).

12. Recovery efforts in Millvale, Pennsylvania, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2095 (Sept. 22, 2004).

13. Opening of the National Museum of the Native American, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2105 (Sept. 23, 2004).

14. Remarks to Army Reserve and National Guard troops departing for Iraq in Bangor Maine, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2117 (Sept. 23, 2004).

15. Relief efforts for Beslan, Russia, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2126 (Sept. 24, 2004).

16. Discussion on Education, Janesville, Wisconsin, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2126 (Sept. 24, 2004).

17. Discussion on Education in Springfield, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2152 (Sept. 27, 2004).

18. Inspection of Hurricane Damage in Lake Wales, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2173 (Sept. 29, 2004).

19. National Association of Homebuilders in Columbus, Ohio, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2217 (Oct. 2, 2004).

20. Report on Iraq's weapons of mass destruction, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2275 (Oct. 7, 2004).

21. Ramadan Message, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2411 (Oct. 15, 2004).

22. Address to U.S. Olympic and Paralympic Teams, 40 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2445 (Oct. 18, 2004).

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1. Executive Order: Blocking Property of and Prohibiting Transactions with the Government of Sudan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1824 (Oct. 13, 2006)

2. Blocking Property of Certain Persons Contributing to the Conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Exe. Order. No. 13, 413, 71 Fed. Reg. 105 (Oct. 31, 2006).

3. Executive Order 13, 414—Amendments to Executive Order 13, 402, Strengthening Federal Efforts to Protect Against Identify Theft, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1984 (Nov. 3, 2006).

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1. Proclamation 8047: Patriot Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1589 (Sept. 7, 2006).

2. Proclamation 8048: National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1595 (Sept. 8, 2006).

3. Proclamation 8049: National Hispanic Heritage Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1605 (Sept. 14, 2006).

4. Proclamation 8050: Constitution Day and Citizenship Day, Constitution Week, 2006, Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1606 (Sept. 14, 2006).

5. Proclamation 8051: National POW / MIA Recognition Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1607 (Sept. 14, 2006).

6. Proclamation 8052: National Farm Safety and Health Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1625 (Sept. 15, 2006).

7. Proclamation 8053: Literacy Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1625 (Sept. 15, 2006).

8. Proclamation 8054: Gold Star Mother's Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1640 (Sept. 20, 2006).

9. Proclamation 8055: National Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1651 (Sept. 21, 2006).

10. Proclamation 8056: Family Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1663 (Sept. 22, 2006).

11. Proclamation 8057: Child Health Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1687 (Sept. 28, 2006)

12. Proclamation 8058: National Domestic Violence Awareness Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1704 (Sept. 29, 2006).

13. Proclamation 8059: National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1732 (Oct. 3, 2006).

14. Proclamation 8060: National Disability Employment Awareness Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1733 (Oct. 3, 2006).

15. Proclamation 8061: German-American Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1733 (Oct. 3, 2006).

16. Proclamation 8062: Fire Prevention Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1756 (Oct. 4, 2006).

17. Proclamation 8063: Leif Erikson Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1749 (Oct. 4, 2006).

18. Proclamation 8064: National School Lunch Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1755 (Oct. 5, 2006).

19. Proclamation 8065: Columbus Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1756 (Oct. 5, 2006).

20. Proclamation 8066: General Pulaski Memorial Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1799 (Oct. 11, 2006).

21. Proclamation 8067: To Modify Rules of Origin Under the North Atlantic Free Trade Agreement, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1800 (Oct. 11, 2006).

22. Proclamation 8068: National Energy Awareness Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1813 (Oct. 12, 2006).

23. Proclamation 8069: White Cane Safety Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1814 (Oct. 12, 2006).

24. Proclamation 8070: National Character Counts Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1823 (Oct. 13, 2006).

25. Proclamation 8071: National Forest Products Week, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1823 (Oct. 13, 2006).

26. Proclamation 8072: 50th Anniversary of the Hungarian Revolution, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1844 (Oct. 18, 2006).

27. Proclamation 8073: United Nations Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1867 (Oct. 20, 2006).

28. Proclamation 8074: National Adoption Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1929 (Oct. 30, 2006).

29. Proclamation 8075: National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1930 (Oct. 30, 2006).

30. Proclamation 8076: National American Indian Heritage Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1930 (Oct. 30, 2006).

31. Proclamation 8077: National Diabetes Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1931 (Oct. 30, 2006).

32. Proclamation 8078: National Family Caregivers Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1932 (Oct. 30, 2006).

33. Proclamation 8079: National Hospice Month, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1936 (Oct. 30, 2006).

34. Proclamation 8080: Veterans Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1943 (Oct. 31, 2006).

35. Proclamation 8081: World Freedom Day, 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1958 (Nov. 2, 2006).

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1. President Bush signs YouthBuild Transfer Act, S. 3534 / Public Law 109-281, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1662 (Sept. 22, 2006).

2. President Bush signs Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, S. 2590 / Public Law 109-282, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 26, 2006).

3. President Bush signs United States-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act, H.R. 5684 / Public Law 109-283, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 26, 2006).

4. President Bush signs Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1666 (Sept. 26, 2006).

5. President Bush signs act To make technical corrections to the United States Code, H.R. 866 / Public Law 109-284, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 27, 2006).

6. President Bush signs Abraham Lincoln Commemorative Coin Act, H.R. 2808 / Public Law 109-285, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 27, 2006).

7. President Bush signs Pueblo de San Ildefonso Claims Settlement Act of 2005, S. 1773 / Public Law 109-286, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 27, 2006).

8. President Bush signs Fourteenth Dalai Lama Congressional Gold Medal Act, S. 2784 / Public Law 109-287, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 27, 2006).

9. President Bush signs Child and Family Services Improvement Act of 2006, S. 3525 / Public Law 109-288, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 28, 2006).

10. President Bush signs Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007, H.R. 5631 / Public Law 109-289, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 29, 2006).

11. President Bush signs Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act, S. 418 / Public Law 109-290, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 29, 2006).

12. President Bush signs Credit Rating Agency Reform Act of 2006, S. 3850 / Public Law 109-291, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1701 (Sept. 29, 2006).

13. President Bush signs "Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007," H.R. 5631, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1703 (Sept. 29, 2006).

14. President ~~Bush signs~~ Third Higher Education Extension Act of 2006, H.R. 6138 / Public Law 109-292, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Sept. 30, 2006).

15. President Bush signs Iran Freedom Support Act, H.R. 6198 / Public Law 109-293, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Sept. 30, 2006).

16. President Bush signs Partners for Fish and Wildlife Act, S. 260 / Public Law 109-294, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 3, 2006).

17. President Bush signs "Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2007," H.R. 5441/Public Law 109-295, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1742 (Oct. 4, 2006).

18. President Bush signs Act To reauthorize the Livestock Mandatory Reporting Act of 1999 and to amend the swine

reporting provisions of that Act, H.R. 3408 / Public Law 109-296, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 5, 2006).

19. President Bush signs Act To extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Alaska, S. 176 / Public Law109-297, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 5, 2006).

20. President Bush Signs Act To extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Wyoming, S. 244 / Public Law 109-298, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 5, 2006).

21. President Bush signs the Wichita Project Equus Beds Division Authorization Act of 2005, S. 1025 / Public Law 109-299, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 5, 2006).

22. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 7172 North Tongass Highway, Ward Cove, Alaska, as the "Alice R. Brusich Post Office Building," S. 1275 / Public Law 109-300, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1762 (Oct. 5, 2006).

23. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located on Lindbald Avenue, Girdwood, Alaska, as the "Dorothy and Connie Hibbs Post Office Building," S. 1323 / Public Law 109-301, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 5, 2006).

24. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 8801 Sudley Road in Manassas, Virginia, as the "Harry J. Parrish Post Office," S. 2690 / Public Law 109-302, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 5, 2006).

25. President Bush signs Copyright Royalty Judges Program Technical Corrections Act, H.R. 1036 / Public Law 109-303, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 6, 2006).

26. President Bush signs act to complete the codification of title 46, United States Code, "Shipping", as positive law, H.R.

1442 / Public Law 109-304, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 6, 2006).

27. President Bush signs Railroad Retirement Technical Improvement Act of 2006, H.R. 5074 / Public Law 109-305, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 6, 2006).

28. President Bush signs act to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize additional appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts for fiscal year 2007, H.R. 5187 / Public Law 109-306, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 6, 2006).

29. President Bush signs Children's Hospital GME Support Reauthorization Act of 2006, H.R. 5574 / Public Law 109-307, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1763 (Oct. 6, 2006).

30. President Bush signs Pets Evacuation and Transportation Standards Act of 2006, H.R. 3858 / Public Law 109-308, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

31. President Bush signs act to amend the Ojito Wilderness Act to make a technical correction, H.R. 4841 / Public Law 109-309, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

32. President Bush signs act to designate the Post Office located at 5755 Post Road, East Greenwich, Rhode Island, as the "Richard L. Cevoli Post Office," S. 3187 / Public Law 109-310, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

33. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2951 New York Highway 43 in Averill Park, New York, as the "Major George Quamo Post Office Building," S. 3613 / Public Law 109-311, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

34. President Bush signs Trademark Dilution Revision Act of 2006, H.R. 683 / Public Law 109-312, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

35. President Bush signs General Services Administration Modernization Act, H.R. 2066 / Public Law 109-313, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

36. President Bush signs National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Maintenance Fund Act of 2005, H.R. 2107 / Public Law 109-314, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6, 2006).

37. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 110 Cooper Street in Babylon, New York, as the "Jacob Samuel Fletcher Post Office Building," H.R. 5664 / Public Law 109-315, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 10, 2006).

38. President Bush signs act to extend temporarily certain authorities of the Small Business Administration, H.R. 6159 / Public Law 109-316, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 10, 2006).

39. President Bush authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating Castle Nugent Farms located on St. Croix, Virgin Islands, as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes, H.R. 318 / Public Law 109-317, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

40. President Bush signs act to amend the Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area Act of 2000 to adjust the boundary of the Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area, and for other purposes, H.R. 326 / Public Law 109-318, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

41. President Bush signs Ste. Genevieve County National Historic Site Study Act of 2005, H.R. 1728 / Public Law 109-319, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

42. President Bush signs Salt Cedar and Russian Olive Control Demonstration Act, H.R. 2720 / Public Law 109-320, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

43. President Bush signs act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain water distribution facilities to the Northern Colorado Water Conservancy District, H.R. 3443 / Public Law 109-321, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

44. President Bush signs North American Wetlands Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2006, H.R. 5539 / Public Law 109-322, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

45. President Bush signs act To extend the waiver authority for the Secretary of Education under title IV, section 105, of Public Law 109-148, H.R. 6106 / Public Law 109-323, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

46. President Bush signs Rio Arriba County Land Conveyance Act, S. 213 / Public Law 109-324, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

47. President Bush signs act to extend relocation expenses test programs for Federal employees, S. 2146 / Public Law 109-325, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

48. President Bush signs Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 2006, S. 2430 / Public Law 109-326, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 11, 2006).

49. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6101 Liberty Road in Baltimore, Maryland, as the "United States Representative Parren J. Mitchell Post Office," H.R. 4109 / Public Law 109-327, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821, (Oct. 12, 2006).

50. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 110 North Chestnut Street in Olathe, Kansas, as the "Governor John Anderson, Jr. Post Office Building," H.R. 4674 / Public Law 109-328, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 12, 2006).

51. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 350 Uinta Drive in Green River, Wyoming, as the "Curt Gowdy Post Office Building," H.R. 5224 / Public Law 109-329, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

52. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6029 Broadmoor Street in Mission, Kansas, as the "Larry Winn, Jr. Post Office Building," H.R. 5504 / Public Law 109-330, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

53. President Bush signs act to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed in Greenville, South Carolina, as the "Carroll A. Campbell, Jr. United States Courthouse," H.R. 5546 / Public Law 109-331, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

54. President Bush signs act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 221 and 211 West Ferguson Street in Tyler, Texas, as the "William M. Steger Federal Building and United States Courthouse," H.R. 5606 / Public Law 109-332, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

55. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 950 Missouri Avenue in East St. Louis, Illinois, as the "Katherine Dunham Post Office Building," H.R. 5929 / Public Law 109-333, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

56. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 39-25 61st Street in Woodside, New York, as the "Thomas J. Manton Post Office Building," H.R. 6033 / Public Law 109-334, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

57. President Bush signs act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 2 South Main

Street in Akron, Ohio, as the "John F. Seiberling Federal Building and United States Courthouse," H.R. 6051 / Public Law 109-335, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

58. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 101 East Gay Street in West Chester, Pennsylvania, as the "Robert J.Thompson Post Office Building," H.R. 6075 / Public Law 109-336, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

59. President Bush signs Rio Grande Natural Area Act, S. 56 / Public Law 109-337, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1822 (Oct. 12, 2006).

60. President Bush signs National Heritage Areas Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1815 (Oct. 12, 2006).

61. President Bush signs Rio Grand Natural Area Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1815 (Oct. 13, 2006).

62. President Bush signs act to designate the United States courthouse at 300 North Hogan Street, Jacksonville, Florida, as the "John Milton Bryan Simpson United States Courthouse," H.R. 315 / Public Law 109-339, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

63. President Bush signs act to authorize the Government of Ukraine to establish a memorial on Federal land in the District of Columbia to honor the victims of the manmade famine that occurred in Ukraine in 1932-1933, H.R. 562 / Public Law 109-340, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

64. President Bush signs act to designate a portion of the Federal building located at 2100 Jamieson Avenue, in Alexandria, Virginia, as the "Justin W. Williams United States Attorney's Building," H.R. 1463 / Public Law 109-341, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

65. President Bush signs act to designate the Federal building located at 320 North Main Street in McAllen, Texas, as the "Kika de la Garza Federal Building," H.R. 2322 / Public Law 109-343, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

66. President Bush signs Darfur Peace and Accountability Act of 2006, H.R. 3127 / Public Law 109-344, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

67. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 777 Corporation Street in Beaver, Pennsylvania, as the "Robert Linn Memorial Post Office Building," H.R. 4768 / Public Law 109-345, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

68. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 105 North Quincy Street in Clinton, Illinois, as the "Gene Vance Post Office Building," H.R. 4805 / Public Law 109-346, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

69. President Bush signs Security and Accountability for Every Port Act of 2006, H.R. 4954 / Public Law 109-347, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

70. President Bush signs act to designate the Investigations Building of the Food and Drug Administration located at 466 Fernandez Juncos Avenue in San Juan, Puerto Rico, as the "Andres Toro Building," H.R. 5026 / Public Law 109-348, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

71. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 202 East Washington Street in Morris, Illinois, as the "Joshua A. Terando Morris Post Office Building," H.R. 5428 / Public Law 109-349, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

72. President Bush signs act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 40 South Walnut Street

in Chillicothe, Ohio, as the "Larry Cox Post Office," H.R. 5434 / Public Law 109-350, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13, 2006).

73. President Bush signs Financial Services Regulatory Relief Act of 2006, S. 2856 / Public Law109-351, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 13, 2006).

74. President Bush signs Wright Amendment Reform Act of 2006, S. 3661 / Public Law 109-352, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 13, 2006).

75. President Bush signs North Korea Nonproliferation Act of 2006, S. 3728 / Public Law 109-353, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 13, 2006).

76. President Bush signs act to revise the boundaries of John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System Jekyll Island Unit GA-06P, H.R. 138 / Public Law 109-354, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

77. President Bush signs act to replace a Coastal Barrier Resources System map relating to Coastal Barrier Resources System Grayton Beach Unit FL-95P in Walton County, Florida, H.R. 479 / Public Law 109-355, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

78. President Bush signs 2005 District of Columbia Omnibus Authorization Act, H.R. 3508 / Public Law 109-356, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

79. President Bush signs Byron Nelson Congressional Gold Medal Act, H.R. 4902 / Public Law 109-357, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

80. President Bush signs Lake Mattamuskeet Lodge Preservation Act, H.R. 5094 / Public Law 109-358, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

81. President Bush signs Long Island Sound Stewardship Act of 2006, H.R. 5160 / Public Law 109-359, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

82. President Bush signs National Fish Hatchery System Volunteer Act of 2006, H.R. 5381 / Public Law 109-360, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

83. President Bush signs Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 2006, S. 2562 / Public Law 109-361, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 16, 2006).

84. President Bush signs Northern California Coastal Wild Heritage Wilderness Act, H.R. 233 / Public Law 109-362, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 17, 2006).

85. President Bush signs act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Tylersville division of the Lamar National Fish Hatchery and Fish Technology Center to the State of Pennsylvania, and for other purposes, H.R. 4957 / Public Law 109-363, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 17, 2006).

86. President Bush signs John Warner National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007, H.R. 5122 / Public Law 109-364, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 17, 2006).

87. President Bush signs Older Americans Act Amendments of 2006, H.R. 6197 / Public Law 109-365, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 17, 2006).

88. President Bush signs Military Commissions Act of 2006, S. 3930 / Public Law 109-366, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1865 (Oct. 17, 2006).

89. President Bush signs SAFE Port Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1817 (Oct. 13, 2006).

90. President Bush signs the Northern California Costal Wild Heritage Wilderness Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1836 (Oct. 17, 2006).

91. President Bush signs Secure Fence Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1906 (Oct. 26, 2006).

Announced Intentions to Nominate (29) or Designate (1)

1. The President announced his intention to nominate Frank Baxter to be Ambassador to Uruguay, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 12, 2006).

2. The President announced his intention to nominate Michele Davis to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Public Affairs), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

3. The President announced his intention to nominate Caroline C. Hunter to be Commissioner of the Election Assistance Commission, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

4. The President announced his intention to nominate David Palmer to be a Commissioner of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

5. The President announced his intention to nominate Michael J. Astrue to be Commissioner of Social Security, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

6. The President announced his intention to nominate Ned L. Siegel, Norman B. Coleman, and Barbara Boxer to be U.S. Representatives to the 61st Session of the United Nations General Assembly, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

7. The President announced his intention to nominate Barbara McConnell Barrett and Cecil E. Floyd to be Alternate U.S. Representatives to the 61st Session of the United Nations General Assembly, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 14, 2006).

8. The President announced his intention to nominate Mark J. Warshawsky and Dana K. Bilyeu to be members of the Social Security Advisory Board, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 19, 2006).

9. The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation: Kay Kelley Arnold (Public Representative); Gary C. Bryner (Public Representative); Thomas Joseph Dodd (Public Representative); Hector E. Morales (Government Representative); John P. Salazar (Public Representative); Thomas A. Shannon, Jr., (Government Representative); and Jack Vaughn (Public Representative), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 19, 2006).

10. The President announced his intention to nominate Curtis S. Chin to be U.S. Director of the Asian Development Bank with the rank of Ambassador, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 21, 2006).

11. The President announced his intention to nominate Steven R. Chealander to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board (Qualified), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 21, 2006).

12. The President announced his intention to nominate Ronald Spogli to be Ambassador to San Marino, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 21, 2006).

13. The President announced his intention to nominate Craig Stapleton to be Ambassador to Monaco, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 21, 2006).

14. The President announced his intention to designate Paul J. Hutter as Acting General Counsel of the Department of Veterans Affairs, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 21, 2006).

15. The President announced his intention to nominate Kevin M. Kolevar to be Assistant Secretary of Energy (Electricity Delivery and Energy (Reliability), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 26, 2006).

16. The President announced his intention to nominate Jane C. Luxton to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans

and Atmosphere, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 26, 2006).

17. The President announced his intention to nominate Phillip L. Swagel to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Economic Policy), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 26, 2006).

18. The President announced his intention to nominate Thurgood Marshall, Jr., to be a Governor of the Board of Governors of the U.S. Postal Service, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 26, 2006).

19. The President announced his intention to nominate Dana Gioia to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1699 (Sept. 28, 2006).

20. The President announced his intention to nominate Eric D. Eberhardto be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1699 (Sept. 28, 2006).

21. The President announced his intention to nominate Robert F. Hoyt to be General Counsel for the Department of the Treasury, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1699 (Sept. 29, 2006).

22. The President announced his intention to nominate Charles E. Dorkey, III, to be a member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway

Development Corporation, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 5, 2006).23. The President announced his intention to nominate Katherine Almquist to be Assistant Administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development (Bureau of Africa), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1863 (Oct. 19, 2006).

24. The President announced his intention to nominate Dan Gregory Blair to be a member of the Postal Rate Commission

and, upon confirmation, to designate him as Chairman, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

25. The President announced his intention to nominate Scott A. Keller to be Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development (Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

26. The President announced his intention to nominate Paul A. Schneider to be Under Secretary for Management at the Department of Homeland Security, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

27. The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the National Council on the Arts: Benjamin Donenberg; Foreststorn Hamilton; Joan Israelite; Charlotte P. Kessler; Robert Bretley Lott; and William Francis Price, Jr., 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

28. The President announced his intention to nominate Anthony W. Ryan to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Financial Markets), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2039 (Nov. 6, 2006).

29. The President announced his intention to nominate Leon R. Sequeira to be Assistant Secretary of Labor (Policy), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2039 (Nov. 6, 2006).

Nominations Submitted To (31) or Withdrawn From (3) the Senate

Submitted September 13, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1622 (Sept. 13, 2006).

1. Frank Baxter, of California, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Oriental Republic of Uruguay.

2. Thomas M. Hardiman, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit.

Submitted September 15, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1622 (Sept. 15, 2006).

1. Michael J. Astrue, of Massachusetts, to be Commissioner of Social Security for a term expiring January 19, 2013.

2. Caroline C. Hunter, of Florida, to be a member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2009.

3. David Palmer, of Maryland, to be a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2011.

Submitted September 20, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1660 (Sept. 20, 2006).

1. Kay Kelley Arnold, of Arkansas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2010 (reappointment).

2. Dana K. Bilyeu, of Nevada, to be a member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2010.

3. Barbara Boxer, of California, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Sixty-first Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

4. Gary C. Bryner, of Utah, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring June 26, 2008.

5. Norman B. Coleman, of Minnesota, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Sixty-first Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

6. Thomas Joseph Dodd, of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring June 26, 2008.

7. Cecil E. Floyd, of South Carolina, to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sixty-first Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

8. Hector E. Morales, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2010.

9. John P. Salazar, of New Mexico, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2012.

10. Thomas A. Shannon, Jr., of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2012.

11. Jack Vaughn, of Texas, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring September 20, 2012 (reappointment).

12. Mark J. Warshawsky, of Maryland, to be a member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2012.

Withdrawn September 20, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1661 (Sept. 20, 2006).

1. Nadine Hogan, of Florida, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring June 26, 2008.

2. Nadine Hogan, of Florida, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation for a term expiring June 26, 2008 (reappointment).

3. John E. Maupin, Jr., of Tennessee, to be a member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2010.

Submitted September 21, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1661 (Sept. 21, 2006).

1. Steven R. Chealander, of Texas, to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board for the remainder of the term expiring December 31, 2007.

2. Curtis S. Chin, of New York, to be U.S. Director of the Asian Development Bank, with the rank of Ambassador.

3. Ronald Spogli, of California, to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of San Marino.

4. Craig Roberts Stapleton, of Connecticut, to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Monaco.

Submitted September 26, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1699 (Sept. 26, 2006).

1. Kevin M. Kolevar, of Michigan, to be an Assistant Secretary of Energy (Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability).

2. Jane C. Luxton, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere.

3. Thurgood Marshall, Jr., of Virginia, to be a Governor of the U.S. Postal Service for a term expiring December 8, 2011.

4. Phillip L. Swagel, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Submitted September 28, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1700 (Sept. 28, 2006).

1. Michele A. Davis, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

2. Eric D. Eberhard, of Washington, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy, Foundation for a term expiring October 6, 2012.

3. Dana Gioia, of California, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Arts for a term of 4 years (reappointment).

Submitted September 29, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1700 (Sept. 29, 2006).

1. John Roberts Hackman, of Virginia, to be U.S. Marshal for the Eastern District of Virginia for the term of 4 years.

2. Robert F. Hoyt, of Maryland, to be General Counsel for the Department of the Treasury.

3. William Lindsay Osteen, Jr., of North Carolina, to be U.S. District Judge for the Middle District of North Carolina.

4. Martin Karl Reidinger, of North Carolina, to be U.S. District Judge for the Western District of North Carolina.

5. Thomas D. Schroeder, of North Carolina, to be U.S. District Judge for the Middle District of North Carolina.

Recess Appointments (2)

1. President Bush recess appointed Richard E. Stickler of West Virginia to be Assistant Secretary of Mine Safety at the Department of Labor, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1863 (Oct. 19, 2006).

2. The President Bush recess appointed Jeffrey R. Brown of Illinois to be Member of the Social Security Advisory Board, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1863 (Oct. 19, 2006).

Announced Intention to Appoint Non-principal Officers (25)

1. The President announced his intention to appoint Joseph B. Gildenhorn and Susan Hutchison as members of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1621 (Sept. 12, 2006).

2. The President announced his intention to appoint Frank D. Stella as a member of the Board of Governors of the United

Service Organizations, Inc., 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1622 (Sept. 14, 2006).

3. The President announced his intention to appoint Duane R. Roberts, Jean Kennedy Smith, and Wilma E. Bernstein as members of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1622 (Sept. 14, 2006).

4. The President announced that he has named Jeremy Katz and Myriah Jordan as Special Assistants to the President for Policy, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1622 (Sept. 14, 2006).

5. The President announced his designation of the following individuals as members of a Presidential delegation to Ukraine to attend the commemoration of the 65th anniverary of the tragedy in Babyn Yar on September 27: Margaret Spellings (head of delegation); William B. Taylor, Jr.; Gregg Rickman; Fred S. Zeidman; and Vincent Obsitnik, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 18, 2006).

6. The President announced his intention to designate Sylvester J. Schieber as Chairman of the Social Security Advisory Board, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 19, 2006).

7. The President announced his intention to designate Jack Vaughn as Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Inter-American Foundation, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1659 (Sept. 19, 2006).

8. The President announced his designation of the following individuals as members of a delegation to Beirut, Lebanon, to visit areas affected by recent conflict and to meet with Prime Minister Fuad Siniora of Lebanon and business leaders to discuss rebuilding priorities: Dina Powell (head of delegation); Jeffrey Feltman; John T. Chambers; Yousif Ghafari; and Ray Irani, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 23, 2006).

9. The President announced his designation of the following individuals as members of a Presidential delegation to Budapest, Hungary, to attend the 50th anniversary of the Hungarian Revolution on October 23: George E. Pataki (head of delegation); April H. Foley; Peter K. Gogolak; and Steven F. Udvar-Hazy, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 25, 2006).

10. The President announced that he has named Tony Fratto as Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy Press Secretary, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 26, 2006).

11. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Advisory Commission on Drug-Free Communities: Catherine Thatcher Brunson (Public); Dennis Griffith (National Substance Abuse Reduction Organization); Steve Moak (National Substance Abuse Reduction Organization); and Janet R. Wood (State Substance Abuse Reduction Organization), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1699 (Sept. 28, 2006).

12. The President announced his intention to appoint Mary E. Peters as a member of the Amtrak Reform Board, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1760 (Oct. 2, 2006).

13. The President announced his intention to designate Stanley E. Taylor as Chairman of the Commission on Presidential Scholars, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 5, 2006).

14. The President announced his intention to appoint Mark B. Murphy as a member of the Advisory Board of the National Air and Space Museum, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 5, 2006).

15. The President announced his intention to appoint Debra Lynn Crisp as a member of the Klamath River Compact Commission (Federal Representative) and, upon appointment,

to designate her as Chairman, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 5, 2006).

16. The President announced his intention to appoint Steven M. Colloton as a member of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation (Federal Judiciary), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 5, 2006).

17. The President announced that he has named David Broome as Special Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1819 (Oct. 12, 2006).

18. The President announced that he has named Gordon Johndroe as Special Assistant to the President and National Security Council Press Secretary, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1819 (Oct. 12, 2006).

19. The President announced that he has named Richard Klingler as Senior Associate Counsel to the President and National Security Council Legal Advisor and General Counsel, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1819 (Oct. 12, 2006).

20. The President announced that he has named Bobby Pittman, Jr., as Special Assistant to the President for African Affairs of the National Security Council, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1819 (Oct. 12, 2006).

21. The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts: Elliott Bryan Broidy; Emilio Estefan, Jr.; Sheldon B. Kamins; James V. Kimsey; Norman Y. Mineta; and Stephen A.Wynn, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1973 (Oct. 30, 2006).

22. The President announced his designation of the following individuals as members of the Presidential delegation to observe the Presidential and legislative elections in Managua, Nicaragua, on November 5: Paul Trivelli; J. Bennett Johnston; and Bill Paxon, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

23. The President announced his intention to appoint Juan Carlos Iturregui and Leonard Sands as members of the President's Export Council, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

24. The President announced that he has named Craig M. Albright as Special Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 3, 2006).

25. The President announced that he has named Ross Kyle as Special Assistant to the President for Cabinet Liaison, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 3, 2006).

Resignations/Retirements (1)

1. Statement on the Retirement of Chief Usher Gary Walters, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1877 (Oct. 27, 2006).

Declared Federal Emergencies or Major Disasters (10)

1. The President declared a major disaster in Arizona and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding from July 25 to August 4, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1591 (Sept. 7, 2006).

2. The President declared a major disaster in Virginia and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding, including severe storms and flooding associated with Tropical Depression Ernesto, from August 29 to September 7, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1660 (Sept. 22, 2006).

3. The President declared a major disaster in Indiana and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding from September 12-14, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1761 (Oct. 6, 2006).

4. The President declared an emergency in New York and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local response

efforts in the area struck by a lake-effect snowstorm on October 12 and continuing, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1862 (Oct 15, 2006).

5. The President declared a major disaster in Alaska and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, flooding, landslides, and mudslides on August 15-25, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1862 (Oct. 16, 2006).

6. The President declared a major disaster in Hawaii and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by an earthquake on October 15 and related aftershocks, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1862 (Oct. 17, 2006).

7. The President declared a major disaster in New York and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on October 12-13 and continuing, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1905 (Oct. 24, 2006).

8. The President declared a major disaster in Alaska and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by a fire from August 3-4, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1906 (Oct. 27, 2006).

9. The President declared a major disaster in Missouri and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms on July 19-21, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

10. The President declared a major disaster in Louisiana and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on October 16 and continuing, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

Communications to Congress (17)

1. Letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives Transmitting Budget Amendments for the Federal Coordinator for Gulf Coast Rebuilding Office, 42 Weekly Pres. Doc. 1641 (Sept. 20, 2006).

2. Message to Congress on Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Persons Who Commit, Threaten To Commit, or Support Terrorism, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1653 (Sept. 21, 2006).

3. Message to the Senate Transmitting the United States-European Union Agreement on Extradition, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1678 (Sept. 27, 2006).

4. Message to the Senate Transmitting the United States-European Union Agreement on Mutual Legal Assistance, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1677 (Sept. 27, 2006).

5. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Protocol Amending the Denmark-United States Taxation Convention, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1709 (Sept. 29, 2006)

6. Message to the Congress Transmitting the District of Columbia's Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Request, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1706 (Sept. 29, 2006)

7. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Estonia-United States Extradition Treaty, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1710 (Sept. 29, 2006)

8. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Protocol Amending the Finland-United States Taxation Convention, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1709 (Sept. 29, 2006)

9. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Protocol Amending the Germany-United States Taxation Convention, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1710 (Sept. 29, 2006)

10. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Latvia-United States Extradition Treaty, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1711 (Sept. 29, 2006)

11. Message to the Senate Transmitting the Malta-United States Extradition Treaty, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1711 (Sept. 29, 2006)

12. Letter to Congressional Leaders on Blocking Property of and Prohibiting Transactions With the Government of Sudan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1826 (Oct. 13, 2006).

13. Letter to Congressional Leaders on Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Significant Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1855 (Oct. 19, 2006).

14. Letter to Congressional Leaders Reporting on Blocking Property of Certain Persons Contributing to the Conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1935 (Oct. 27, 2006).

15. Letter to Congressional Leaders on Continuation of the National Emergency Regarding the Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1907 (Oct. 27, 2006).

16. Notice to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and President of the Senate of Continued National Emergency Regarding the Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1917 (Oct. 27, 2006).

17. Continuation of National Emergency With Respect to Sudan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1945 (Nov. 1, 2006).

Communications to Federal Agencies (12)

1. Memorandum on the 2006 Combined Federal Campaign, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1601 (Sept. 13, 2006).

2. Memorandum on Continuation of the Exercise of Certain Authorities Under the Trading With the Enemy Act, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1601 (Sept. 13, 2006).

3. Presidential Determination on Major Drug Transit or Major Illicit Drug Producing Countries for Fiscal Year 2007

(Memorandum for the Secretary of State), 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1627 (Sept. 15, 2006).

4. Memorandum to the Secretary of State on Presidential Determination With Respect to Foreign Governments' Efforts Regarding Trafficking in Persons, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1675 (Sept. 26, 2006).

5. Memorandum for the Heads of Executive Departments and Agencies on the Extension of the Safety, Health, and Return-to-Employment (SHARE) Initiative, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1705 (Sept. 29, 2006)

6. Memorandum for the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Defense re: Presidential Determination on Drawdown of Commodities and Services From the Department of Defense To Support Transport of Indonesian Peacekeeping Forces to Lebanon, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1708 (Sept. 29, 2006)

7. Memorandum for the Secretary of State on Waiving Prohibition on United States Military Assistance With Respect to Various Parties to the Rome Statute Establishing the International Criminal Court, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1708 (Sept. 29, 2006)

8. Memorandum for the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Commerce on Promoting Sustainable Fisheries and Ending Destructive Fishing Practices, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1718 (Oct. 2, 2006)

9. Memorandum for the Secretary of State: Presidential Determination on FY 2007 Refugee Admissions Numbers and Authorizations of In-Country Refugee Status, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1801 (Oct. 11, 2006).

10. Memorandum for the Secretary of State Regarding Waiver and Certification of Statutory Provision Regarding the Palestinian Liberation Organization Office, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1818 (Oct. 13, 2006).

11. Memorandum to the Secretaries of Defense and State on the Provision of United States Drug Interdiction Assistance to the Government of Brazil, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1830 (Oct. 16, 2006).

12. Memorandum to U.S. Trade Rep. on Determinations Under Sec. 1106(a) of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988—Socialist Republic of Vietnam, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2022 (Nov. 6, 2006).

Statements (31)

1. Statement on the Visit of Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom to the Middle East, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1597 (Sept. 9, 2006).

2. Statement on the House of Representatives Action on the "Federal Funding Accountability and Transportation Act of 2006," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1601 (Sept. 13, 2006).

3. Statement on House of Representative Action on Reform Earmarking Rules, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1605 (Sept. 14, 2006).

4. Statement on Senate Action on the "Port Security Improvement Act of 2006," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1605 (Sept. 14, 2006).

5. Statement on the Death of Ann Richards, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1605 (Sept. 14, 2006).

6. Statement on Senate Action on the United States-Oman Free Trade Agreement, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1639 (Sept. 19, 2006).

7. Statement on Senate Confirmation of Alice S. Fisher To Be Assistant Attorney General for the Criminal Division at the Department of Justice, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1639 (Sept. 19, 2006).

8. Statement on the Creation of the United States-China Strategic Economic Dialogue, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1640 (Sept. 20, 2006).

9. Remarks on Senate Action on the "Military Commissions Act of 2006" in Orlando, Florida, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1646 (Sept. 21, 2006).

10. Message on the Observance of Rosh Hashanah, 5767, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1651 (Sept. 21, 2006).

11. Statement on Senate Confirmation of Kenneth Wainstein To Be Assistant Attorney General for National Security at the Department of Justice, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1658 (Sept. 22, 2006).

12. Statement on the Report of the Commission on the Future of Higher Education, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1674 (Sept. 26, 2006).

13. Statement on the Death of Byron Nelson, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1674 (Sept. 26, 2006).

14. Statement on House of Representatives Action on the "Military Commissions Act of 2006," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1676 (Sept. 27, 2006).

15. Statement on Senate Action on the "Military Commissions Act of 2006," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1687 (Sept. 28, 2006).

16. Statement on Congressional Action on the "Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1698 (Sept. 29, 2006).

17. Statement on Signing the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1703 (Sept. 29, 2006).

18. Statement on Congressional Action on the "Iran Freedom Support Act," 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1707 (Sept. 30, 2006).

19. Statement on Senate Confirmation of Mary Peters To Be Secretary of Transportation, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1707 (Sept. 30, 2006).

20. Statement on Signing the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2007, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1742 (Oct. 4, 2006).

21. Statement on Signing the National Heritage Areas Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1815 (Oct. 12, 2006).

22. Statement on Signing the Rio Grande Natural Area Act, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1815 (Oct. 12, 2006).

23. Statement on Signing the SAFE Port Act, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1817 (Oct. 13, 2006).

24. Statement: President Declares Certain Areas of New York Qualify for Federal Disaster Relief Assistance (Oct. 15, 2006).

25. Statement: President Declares Certain Areas of Alaska Qualify for Federal Disaster Relief Assistance (Oct. 16, 2006).

26. Statement on Signing the John Warner National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1836 (Oct. 17, 2006).

27. Statement on Signing the Northern California Coastal Wild Heritage Wilderness Act, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1836 (Oct. 17, 2006).

28. Statement: President Declares Certain Areas of Hawaii Qualify for Federal Disaster Relief Assistance (Oct. 17, 2006).

29. Statement on the Population of the United States Reaching 300 Million, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1837 (Oct. 17, 2006).

30. Statement: President Declares Certain Parishes in Louisiana Qualify for Federal Disaster Relief Assistance, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

31. Statement: President Declares Certain Areas of Missouri Qualify for Federal Disaster Relief Assistance, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1974 (Nov. 2, 2006).

Meetings With Foreign Leaders (19)

1. Remarks Following Discussions With President Roh Moo-hyun of South Korea and an Exchange With Reporters, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1602 (Sept. 14, 2006).
2. Remarks Following Discussions With Prime Minister Abdullah bin Ahmad Badawi of Malaysia in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1632 (Sept. 18, 2006).
3. Remarks Following Discussions With President Jacques Chirac of France and an Exchange With Reporters in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1632 (Sept. 19, 2006).

4. Remarks Following Discussions With President Jalal Talabani of Iraq in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1638 (Sept. 19, 2006).
5. Remarks Following Discussion With President Mahmoud Abbas of the Palestinian Authority in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1639 (Sept. 20, 2006).
6. The President's News Conference With President Pervez of Musharraf of Pakistan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1653 (Sept. 22, 2006).
7. The President's News Conference With President Hamid Karzai of Afghanistan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1668 (Sept. 26, 2006).
8. Remarks Prior to Discussions With President Hamid Karzai of Afghanistan and President Pervez Musharraf of Pakistan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1677 (Sept. 27, 2006).
9. Remarks Following Discussions With President Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1695 (Sept. 29, 2006).
10. Joint Statement by the United States and Kazakhstan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1696 (Sept. 29, 2006).
11. Remarks Following Discussions With Prime Minister Recep Tayyip Erdogan of Turkey, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1712 (Oct. 2, 2006)

12. Remarks Following a Meeting With Special Envoy for Sudan Andrew S. Natsios, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1712 (Oct. 2, 2006)

13. Joint Statement by the United States of America and the Republic of Peru, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1769 (Oct. 10, 2006).

14. Remarks Following Discussions With President Alan Garcia Perez of Peru, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1768 (Oct. 10, 2006).

15. Remarks Following Discussions With Prime Minister Ivo Sanader of Croatia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1835 (Oct. 17, 2006).

16. Remarks Following Discussions With President Leonel Fernandez Reyna of the Dominican Republic, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1890 (Oct. 25, 2006).

17. Remarks Following Discussions With Secretary General Jakob Gijsbert "Jaap" de Hoop Scheffer of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and an Exchange With Reporters, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1903 (Oct. 27, 2006).

18. Joint Statement by President George W. Bush and Prime Minister Nuri al-Maliki of Iraq, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1916 (Oct. 28, 2006).

19. Remarks Following a Meeting With Special Envoy for Sudan Andrew S. Natsios, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1937 (Oct. 31, 2006).

Remarks/ Radio/ Media (89)

Campaign 2006 (36)

1. Remarks to the Georgia Public Policy Foundation in Atlanta, Georgia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1576 (Sept. 7, 2006).

2. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Max Burns in Pooler, Georgia 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1583 (Sept. 7, 2006).

3. Remarks to Reporters Following a Meeting With the House Republican Conference, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1602 (Sept. 14, 2006).

4. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Gus Bilirakis in Tampa, Florida, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1641 (Sept. 21, 2006).

5. Remarks at a Reception for Gubernatorial Candidate Charlie Crist and the Republic Party of Florida in Orlando, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1647 (Sept. 21, 2006).

6. Remarks at a Luncheon for Gubernatorial Candidate Bob Riley in Birmingham, Alabama, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1680 (Sept. 28, 2006).

7. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Dean Heller in Reno, Nevada, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1713 (Oct. 2, 2006).

8. Remarks at a Breakfast for Congressional Candidate Richard W. Pombo in Stockton, California, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1719 (Oct. 3, 2006).

9. Remarks at a Reception for Gubernatorial Candidate Bob Beauprez and the Colorado Republican Party in Englewood, Colorado, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1743 (Oct. 4, 2006).

10. Remarks at a Breakfast for Congressional Candidate Rick Renzi in Scottsdale, Arizona, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1734 (Oct. 4, 2006).

11. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Mac Collins in Macon, Georgia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1777 (Oct. 10, 2006).

12. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidates Peter Roskam and David McSweeney and the Illinois Congressional Victory Committee in Chicago, Illinois, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1808 (Oct. 12, 2006).

13. Remarks at a Reception for Senatorial Candidate George Allen in Richmond, Virginia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1850 (Oct. 19, 2006).

14. Remarks at a National Republican Senatorial Committee Reception, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1856 (Oct. 20, 2006).

15. Remarks at a Luncheon for Congressional Candidate Jeff Lamberti and Iowa Victory 2006 in Des Moines, Iowa, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1892 (Oct. 26, 2006).

16. Remarks at a Reception for Senatorial Candidate Michael Bouchard in Warren, Michigan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1898 (Oct. 26, 2006).

17. Remarks to Reporters in Clinton Township, Michigan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1898 (Oct. 26, 2006).

18. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Vern Buchanan in Sarasota, Florida, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1871 (Oct. 27, 2006).

19. Remarks at an Indiana Victory 2006 Rally in Sellersburg, Indiana, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1908 (Oct. 28, 2006).

20. Remarks at Charleston Air Force Base, South Carolina, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1914 (Oct. 28, 2006).

21. Remarks at a Georgia Victory 2006 Rally in Statesboro, Georgia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1917 (Oct. 30, 2006).

22. Remarks at a Texas Victory 2006 Rally in Sugar Land, Texas, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1923 (Oct. 30, 2006).

23. Remarks at a Georgia Victory 2006 Rally in Perry, Georgia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1937 (Oct. 31, 2006).

24. Remarks at a Montana Victory 2006 Rally in Billings, Montana, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1945 (Nov. 2, 2006).

25. Remarks at a Nevada Victory 2006 Rally in Elko, Nevada, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1952 (Nov. 2, 2006).

26. Remarks at an Iowa Victory 2006 Rally in Le Mars, Iowa, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1977 (Nov. 3, 2006).
27. Remarks at at a Missouri Victory 2006 Rally in Joplin, Missouri, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1966 (Nov. 3, 2006).
28. Remarks at a Missouri Victory 2006 Rally in Springfield, Missouri, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1959 (Nov. 3, 2006).
29. Remarks at a Kansas Victory 2006 Rally in Topeka, Kansas, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2000 (Nov. 5, 2006).
30. Remarks at a Nebraska Victory 2006 Rally in Grand Island, Nebraska, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1993 (Nov. 5, 2006).
31. Remarks on Departure From Waco, Texas Regarding Former Iraqi President Hussein Trial Verdict, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1992 (Nov. 5, 2006).
32. Remarks at a Perry for Governor 2006 Rally in Dallas, Texas, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2017 (Nov. 6, 2006).
33. Remarks at an Arkansas Victory 2006 Rally in Bentonville, Arkansas, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2011 (Nov. 6, 2006).
34. Remarks at a Colorado Victory 2006 Rally in Greeley, Colorado, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1985 (Nov. 6, 2006)
35. Remarks at a Florida Victory 2006 Rally in Pensacola, Florida, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2006 (Nov. 6, 2006).
36. Remarks on Election Day in Crawford, Texas, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 2022 (Nov. 7, 2006).

General Remarks (41)

1. Remarks Following a Tour of the Tribute WTC Visitor Center in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1597 (Sept. 10, 2006).
2. Address to the Nation on the War on Terror, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1597 (Sept. 11, 2006).

3. Remarks at the White House Conference on Global Literacy in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1629 (Sept. 18, 2006).

4. Remarks to the United Nations General Assembly in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1633 (Sept. 19, 2006).

5. Remarks at a Luncheon Hosted by Secretary-General Kofi Annan of the United Nations in New York City, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1637 (Sept. 19, 2006).

6. Message on the Observance of Ramadan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1663 (Sept. 21, 2006).

7. Remarks Following a Tour of Meyer Tool, Inc., in Cincinnati, Ohio, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1665 (Sept. 25, 2006).

8. Remarks Following a Meeting With Business Leaders on the U.S.-Lebanon Partnership Fund, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1665 (Sept. 25, 2006).

9. Remarks on Signing the Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1666 (Sept. 26, 2006).

10. Remarks on Energy in Hoover, Alabama, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1679 (Sept. 28, 2006).

11. Remarks Following a Meeting With the Republican Senate Conference, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1679 (Sept. 28, 2006).

12. Message on the Observance of Yom Kippur, 5767, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1687 (Sept. 28, 2006).

13. Remarks to the Reserve Officers Association, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1688 (Sept. 29, 2006).

14. Remarks on Arrival in Los Angeles, California, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1731 (Oct. 3, 2006).

15. Remarks on Signing the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2007 in Scottsdale, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1740 (Oct. 4, 2006).

16. Remarks at George W. Bush Elementary School in Stockton, California, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1725 (Oct. 3, 2006).

17. Remarks at a Reception Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1758 (Oct. 6, 2006).

18. Remarks at the [U.S.] Department of Education, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1749 (Oct. 5, 2006).

19. Remarks at Woodridge Elementary and Middle Campus, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1750 (Oct. 5, 2006).

20. Remarks on the National Economy, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1757 (Oct. 6, 2006).

21. Remarks at a Christening Ceremony for the USS George H .W. Bush in Newport News, Virginia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1766 (Oct. 7, 2006).

22. Remarks on the Situation in North Korea, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1767 (Oct. 9, 2006).

23. Remarks in a Discussion on School Safety in Chevy Chase, Maryland, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc.1770 (Oct. 10, 2006).

24. Remarks on the National Economy and the Federal Budget, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1796 (Oct. 11, 2006).

25. Remarks at the National Renewable Energy Conference in St. Louis, Missouri, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1802 (Oct. 12, 2006).

26. Statement on the Sixth Anniversary of the Terrorist Attack on the USS Cole, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1813 (Oct. 12, 2006).

27. Remarks Following a Meeting With the President's Management Council, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1818 (Oct. 13, 2006).

28. Remarks on Signing the SAFE Port Act, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1815 (Oct. 13, 2006).

29. Remarks on the United Nations Security Council Resolution on North Korea, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. (Oct. 14, 2006).

30. Remarks at the United States Air Force Memorial Dedication in Arlington, Virginia, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc., 1828 (Oct. 14, 2006).

31. Remarks at the Iftaar Dinner, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1830 (Oct. 16, 2006).

32. Remarks on Signing the Military Commissions Act of 2006, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1831 (Oct. 17, 2006).

33. Remarks at a Swearing-In Ceremony for Mary E. Peters as Secretary of Transportation, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1833 (Oct. 17, 2006).

34. Remarks Following a Tour of Victory Junction Gang Camp, Inc., in Randleman, North Carolina, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1843 (Oct. 18, 2006).

35. Remarks at Waldo C. Falkener Elementary School in Greensboro, North Carolina, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1837 (Oct. 18, 2006).

36. Remarks at a Reception for Congressional Candidate Don Sherwood and the Pennsylvania Victory Committee in La Plume, Pennsylvania, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1844 (Oct. 19, 2006).

37. Remarks to Reporters at a CVS Pharmacy, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1856 (Oct. 20, 2006).

38. Remarks Following a Meeting With Organizations That Support the United States Military in Iraq and Afghanistan, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1862 (Oct. 20, 2006).

39. Remarks at a National Italian American Foundation Dinner, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1867 (Oct. 20, 2006).

40. Remarks at Urban Trust Bank, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1870 (Oct. 23, 2006).

41. Remarks Following a Tour of Gyrocam Systems, LLC, in Sarasota, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1876 (Oct. 24, 2006).

Radio Address (9)

1. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1595 (Sept. 9, 2006).

2. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1626 (Sept. 16, 2006).

3. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1664 (Sept. 23, 2006).

4. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1706 (Sept. 30 2006).

5. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1765 (Oct. 7, 2006).

6. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1827, (Oct. 14, 2006).

7. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1869, (Oct. 27, 2006).

8. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1907, (Oct 28, 2006).

9. The President's Radio Address, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1984, (Nov. 4, 2006).

Media (3)

1. The President's News Conference, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1607 (Sept. 15, 2006).

2. The President's News Conference, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1782 (Oct. 11, 2006).

3. The President's News Conference, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1877, (Oct. 25, 2006).

Miscellaneous (4)

1. Statement on the Death of John J. "Buck" O' Neil, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1767 (Oct. 7, 2006).

2. Acts Approved by the President, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1821 (Oct. 6-13, 2006).

3. Message on the Observance of Eid al-Fitr (a Muslim festival) 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1870 (Oct. 20, 2006).

4. Acts Approved by the President, 42 Weekly Comp. Pres. Doc. 1864 (Oct. 13-16, 2006).

Appendix B

FLOOR VOTES IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE DURING THE SIXTY DAYS PRIOR TO GENERAL ELECTION IN 2004 AND 2006

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES – 2004*

1. 530; H.R. 4567, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to the Conference Report on Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.**

2. 529; H.R. 4837, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to the Conference Report on Making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

3. 528; H.R. 4200, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to Conference Report on DOD Authorization, Fiscal Year 2005.

4. 527; H.R. Con. Res. 518, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to the Resolution Providing for an adjournment or recess of the two Houses.

5. 526; H.R. Res. 845, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/8/04; Tabled H.R. Res. 845.

6. 525; S. 2845, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/8/04; On Motion to Instruct Conferees To reform the intelligence community and

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following Floor Votes, Numbers 422-530, occurred in the House of Representatives during that time, as listed below in reverse chronological order.

**. The votes are referenced by vote number, bill citation, date of vote, description, and title.

the intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, and for other purposes – Failed.

7. 524; H.R. Res. 843, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/8/04; Ordered the Previous Question regarding Waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4200, National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2005.

8. 523-510; H.R. 10, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/8/04; Amendments, Motions, and Passage of the 9/11 Recommendations Implementation Act.

9. 509; H.R. 4520, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Agreed to the Conference Report on American Jobs Creation Act.

10. 508; H.R. 5061, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Agreed To provide assistance for the current crisis in the Darfur region of Sudan and to facilitate a comprehensive peace in Sudan.

11. 507; S. 1134, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Agreed To reauthorize and improve the programs authorized by the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965.

12. 506; H.R. Res. 828, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Agreed to Waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

13. 505; H.R. 5186, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Passed the Taxpayer-Teacher Protection Act.

14. 504; H.R. 5213, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Passed the Research Review Act.

15. 503; H.R. 4661, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Passed the Internet Spyware (I-SPY) Prevention Act.

16. 502; H.R. 4567, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/7/04; Agreed to Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

17. 501-500; H.R. 5212, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/6/04; Amendment to and Passage of the Making emergency

supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, for additional disaster assistance relating to storm damage, and for other purposes.

18. 499; H.R. Res. 819, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/6/04; Ordered the Previous Question regarding Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5212) making emergency supplemental appropriations for fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, for additional disaster assistance relating to storm damage, and for other purposes.

19. 498; H.R. 4850, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/6/04; Agreed to the Conference Report on the District of Columbia Appropriations Act for 2005.

20. 497; H.R. 5107, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/6/04; Passed the Justice for All Act.

21. 496; H.R. 5011, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/5/04; Passed the Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act.

22. 495; H.R. 2929, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/5/04; Passed the SPY ACT.

23. 494; H.R. 163, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/5/04; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass the Universal National Service Act – Failed.

24. 493-492; S. 878, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/5/04; On Amendment to and Motion to Recommit with Instructions on Authorizing an additional permanent judgeship in the district of Idaho, and for other purposes – Failed.

25. 491-490; H.R. Res. 814, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/5/04; Agreed to Providing for consideration of the bill (S. 878) to authorize an additional permanent judgeship in the district of Idaho, and for other purposes.

26. 489; H.R. Res. 567, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/4/04; Agreed to Congratulating the American Dental Association for sponsoring the second annual Give Kids a Smile program which emphasizes the need to improve access to dental care for

children, and thanking dentists for volunteering their time to help provide needed dental care.

27. 488; S. 1814, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/4/04; Agreed To transfer Federal lands between the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior.

28. 487; S. Con. Res. 76, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/4/04; Agreed to Recognize that November 2, 2003, shall be dedicated to A Tribute to Survivors at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum.

29. 486; H.R. Res. 792, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; Agreed to Honoring the United Negro College Fund on the occasion of the Funds 60th anniversary and the Funds unflagging dedication to enhancing top quality college opportunities to millions of students.

30. 485; H.R. Con. Res. 501, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; Agreed to Honoring the life and work of Duke Ellington, recognizing the 30th anniversary of the Duke Ellington School of the Arts, and supporting the annual Duke Ellington Jazz Festival.

31. 484; H.R.J. RES. 106, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to marriage – Failed.

32. 483; H.R. 4231, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; Passed the Department of Veterans Affairs Nurse Recruitment and Retention Act of 2004.

33. 482; H.R. 5149, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass, P, Welfare Reform Extension Act, Part VIII.

34. 481-480; H.R. 5183, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/30/04; Passed the Surface Transportation Extension Act of 2004, Part V.

35. 479-478; H.R.J. RES. 107, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/29/04; Passed Continuing Appropriations for FY 2005.

36. 477; H.R. 3193, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/29/04; Passed the District of Columbia Personal Protection Act.
37. 476; H.R. 4520, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/29/04; On Motion to Instruct Conferees on the American Jobs Creation Act – Failed.
38. 475; S. 2363, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/28/04; Agreed to revise and extend the Boys and Girls Clubs of America.
39. 474-473; H.R. 4200, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/28/04; Agreed to Motion to Instruct Conferees and Close Portions of the Conference on DOD Authorization for Fiscal Year 2005.
40. 472; H.R. 1308, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Agreed to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to end certain abusive tax practices, to provide tax relief and simplification, and for other purposes.
41. 471-470; H.R. Res. 794, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Agreed to Waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1308) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to accelerate the increase in the refundability of the child tax credit, and for other purposes.
42. 469; H.R. Res. 785, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Ordered the Previous Question Waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with Respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.
43. 468; H.R. 1057, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Passed The Adoption Tax Relief Guarantee Act.
44. 467-466; H.R. 2028, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Amended and Passed the Pledge Protection Act.
45. 465-452; H.R. 5025, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/22/04; Amendments, Motions and Passage of the Transportation and Related Agencies Appropriations for FY 2005.
46. 451; H.R. Res. 770, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Ordered the Previous Question on Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5025) making appropriations for the Departments of

Transportation and Treasury, and independent agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.
47. 450-448; H.R. 4571, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; On Amendment, Motion, and Passage of the Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act.
48. 447; H.R. 1084, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Passed the Volunteer Pilot Organization Protection Act.
49. 446; H.R. 1787, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Passed the Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act.
50. 445; H.R. 3369, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Passed the Nonprofit Athletic Organization Protection Act.
51. 444; H.R. Res. 766, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Agreed to Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4571) to amend rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to improve attorney accountability, and for other purposes.
52. 443; H.R. Res. 760, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/13/04; Agreed to Condemning the series of terrorist attacks against the Russian Federation that occurred in late August and early September 2004.
53. 442; H.R. Res. 667, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/13/04; Agreed to Expressing support for freedom in Hong Kong.
54. 441; H.R. Con. Res. 363, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/13/04; Agreed to Expressing the grave concern of Congress regarding the continuing gross violations of human rights and civil liberties of the Syrian people by the Government of the Syrian Arab Republic.
55. 440-434; H.R. 5006, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/9/04; Amendments and Passage of Making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.
56. 433; S. 2634, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/9/04; Passed the Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act.

57. 432; H.R. 1308, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/9/04; On Motion to Instruct Conferees to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to end certain abusive tax practices, to provide tax relief and simplification, and for other purposes – Failed.
58. 431; H.R. Res. 757, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/9/04; Agreed to Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on the anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001.
59. 430-425; H.R. 5006, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/8/04; Agreed to Motion that the Committee Rise Making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.
60. 424; H.R. Res. 754, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/8/04; Ordered the Previous Question regarding Providing for consideration of the bill (H. R. 5006) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.
61. 423; H.R. 4556, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/7/04; Passed the General William Cary Lee Post Office Building.
62. 422; H.R. 4381, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/7/04; Passed the Harvey and Bernice Jones Post Office Building.

UNITED STATES SENATE – 2004*

1. 211-210; H.R. 4520, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/11/04; Agreed to Conference Report on H.R. 4520, American Jobs Creation Act of 2004.

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following Floor Votes, Numbers 164-211, listed here in reverse chronological order, occurred on the floor of the United States Senate during that time.

2. 209; S. Res. 454, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to S. Res. 454, A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the 108th Congress should provide the necessary funds to make disaster assistance available for all customarily eligible agricultural producers as emergency spending and not funded by cuts to the farm bill.

3. 208-200; S. Res. 445, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/9/04; Agreed to S. Res. 445 As Amended, A resolution to eliminate certain restrictions on service of a Senator on the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence.

4. 199-189; S. 2845, 108th Cong. (2004). 10/6/04; Amendments to and passage of S. 2845 As Amended, Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004.

5. 188; H.R. 1308, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/23/04; Agreed to the Conference Report on H.R. 1308, the Working Families Tax Relief Act of 2004.

6. 187; P.N. 1855, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/22/04; Confirmed Porter J. Goss, of Florida, To Be Director of Central Intelligence.

7. 186; H.R. 4755, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/21/04; Passed H.R. 4755, Legislative Branch Appropriations Act for 2005.

8. 185; H.R. 4837, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/20/04; Passed H.R. 4837, as amended, Military Construction Appropriations and Emergency Hurricane Supplemental Appropriations Act for 2005.

9. 184-166; H.R. 4567, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/14/04; Amendments to an Passage of H.R. 4567 As Amended, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act for 2005.

10. 165; P.N. 1628, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/7/04; Confirmed Michael H. Schneider, Sr., of Texas, to be U.S. District Judge.

11. 164; P.N. 1539, 108th Cong. (2004). 9/7/04; Confirmed Virginia Maria Hernandez Covington, of Florida, to be U.S. District Judge.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES – 2006*

1. 516; H.R. 4954, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/30/06; Agreed to the Conference Report on the Security and Accountability for Every Port (SAFE) Act.

2. 515; S. 3661, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Passed the Wright Amendment Reform Act.

3. 514-13; MOTION, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; On motions to the previous question and to refer the Resolution – Passed.

4. 512; H.R. Res. 1064, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreed to Waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4954) to improve maritime and cargo security.

5. 511; H.R. 4772, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Passed the Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006.

6. 510; H.R. 5122, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreed to the Conference Report on the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007.

7. 509; H.R. 5441, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreed to the Conference Report on the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act for 2007.

8. 508; S. 3930, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Passed the Military Commissions Act.

9. 507-506; H.R. Res. 1053, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreed to Waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII

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*. The 2006 federal election occurred on November 7th. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 8th. The following Floor Votes, Numbers 436-516, occurred on the floor of the House of Representatives during that time, as listed below in reverse chronological order.

with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

10. 505-504; H.R. Res. 1054, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreed to Waiving points of order against the conference report on H.R. 5441, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations for FY 2007, and providing for the consideration of S. 3930, Military Commissions Act and H.R. 4772, Private Property Rights Implementation Act.

11. 503; H.R. 6143, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Passed the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Modernization Act.

12. 502-501; H.R. 5825, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Passed the Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act.

13. 500; H.R. 4954, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Agreed to Motion to Instruct Conferees on the Security and Accountability for Every Port (SAFE) Act.

14. 499-498; H.R. Res. 1052, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Agreed to Providing for the consideration of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act.

15. 497-476; H.R. Res. 1046, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Agreed to Waiving the requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

16. 495; H.R. Res. 1045, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/28/06; Ordering the Previous Question on providing for the consideration of motions to suspend the rules.

17. 494; S. 2856, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Passed the Financial Services Regulatory Relief Act.

18. 493; H.R. 6115, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Passed the Market-to-Market Extension Act.

19. 492; H.R. 5637, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Passed the Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2006.

20. 491-490; H.R. 6166, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Passed the Military Commissions Act.

21. 489-488; H.R. Res. 1042, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Agreed to Providing for the consideration of H.R. 6166, Military Commissions Act.
22. 487; H.R. Con. Res. 483, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27/06; Agreed to resolution providing for an adjournment or recess of the two Houses.
23. 486; H.R. 5631, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to the Conference Report on the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for 2007.
24. 485; H.R. 6164, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Passed the National Institutes of Health Reform Act.
25. 484; H.R. Res. 1017, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agree to Affirming support for the sovereignty and security of Lebanon and the Lebanese people.
26. 483; H.R. Res. 989, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to Commending the United Kingdom for its efforts in the War on Terror, and for other purposes.
27. 482; H.R. Res. 992, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to Urging the President to appoint a Presidential Special Envoy for Sudan.
28. 481; H.R. Res. 723, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to Calling on the President to take immediate steps to help improve the security situation in Darfur, Sudan, with specific emphasis on civilian protection.
29. 480; H.R. 2679, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Passed the Public Expression of Religion Act.
30. 479; S. 403, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Passed the Child Custody Protection Act.
31. 478; MOTION, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Motion to resolve into secret session – Failed.
32. 477; H.R. 4772, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass, as Amended - Failed, Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006.

33. 476; H.R. 5092, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Passed the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (BATFE) Modernization and Reform Act.
34. 475; H.R. Res. 1039, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to Providing for the consideration of S. 403, Child Custody Protection Act.
35. 474; H.R. Res. 1038, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/26/06; Agreed to Providing for the consideration of H.R. 2679, Public Expression of Religion Act.
36. 473; H.R. 6102, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/25/06; Passed the Captain Christopher Petty Post Office Building.
37. 472; H.R. 5062, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/25/06; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass - Failed, New Hampshire Wilderness Act.
38. 471; H.R. 5059, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/25/06; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass - Failed, New Hampshire Wilderness Act.
39. 470, S. 2832, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; On Motion to Suspend the Rules and Pass - Failed, Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 2006.
40. 469; H.R. 4830, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Passed the Border Tunnel Prevention Act of 2006.
41. 468-467; H.R. 6095, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Passed the Immigration Law Enforcement Act of 2006.
42. 466; H.R. 5631, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Closed Portions of the Conference on the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for 2007.
43. 465-464; H.R. 6094, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Passed the Community Protection Act of 2006.
44. 463; S. 418, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Passed the Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act.
45. 462-461; H.R. Res. 1018, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/21/06; Agreed to Providing for the consideration of the bills (H.R.

4830) Border Tunnel Prevention Act of 2006, (H.R. 6094) Community Protection Act of 2006, and (H.R. 6095) Immigration Law Enforcement Act of 2006.

46. 460; H.R. Res. 976, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/20/06; Agreed to Condemning human rights abuses by the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran and expressing solidarity with the Iranian people.

47. 459-458; H.R. 4844, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/20/06; Passed the Federal Election Integrity Act of 2006.

48. 457; H.R. Res. 942, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/20/06; Agreed to Recognizing the centennial anniversary on August 5, 2006, of the Iranian constitution of 1906.

49. 456-454; H.R. Res. 1015, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/20/06; Agreed to Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4844) to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to require any individual who desires to register or re-register to vote in an election for Federal office to provide the appropriate State election official with proof that the individual is a citizen of the U.S.

50. 453; H.R. Con. Res. 415, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/19/06; Agreed to Condemning the repression of the Iranian Bahai community and calling for the emancipation of Iranian Bahais.

51. 452; H.R. Res. 622, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/19/06; Agreed to recognize and honor the Filipino World War II veterans for their defense of democratic ideals and their important contributions to the outcome of World War II.

52. 451; H.R. Con. Res. 210, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/19/06; Agreed to Supporting the goal of eliminating suffering and death due to cancer by the year 2015.

53. 450; H.R. 6033, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Passed the Thomas J. Manton Post Office Building.

54. 449-448; H.R. Res. 1003, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Agreed to Providing for the adoption of the resolution (H.R.

Res. 1000) providing for earmarking reform in the House of Representatives.

55. 447; H.R. 2864, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Motion to instruct Conferees passes on the Water Resources Development Act.

56. 446-45; H.R. 6061, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Motion and Final passage of Secure Fence Act of 2006 - Failed.

57. 444; H.R. Res. 1002, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Agreeing to Providing for the consideration of H.R. 6061, Secure Fence Act of 2006.

58. 443-441; H.R. 2665, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/14/06; Amendments (failed) and Passage of the Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act.

59. 440; H.R. Res. 994, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/13/06; Agreeing to Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on the fifth anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001.

60. 439; H.R. 4893, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/13/06; Failed motion to suspend the rules and pass the Restricting Indian Gaming to Homelands of Tribes Act of 2006.

61. 438; H.R. Res. 996, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/13/06; Passage of a resolution Providing for the consideration of H.R. Res. 994, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on the fifth anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001.

62. 437; H.R. Res. 175, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/12/06; Suspended the rules and agreed to Recognizing the importance of establishing a national memorial at the World Trade Center site to commemorate and mourn the events of February 26, 1993, and September 11, 2001.

63. 436; H.R. 5428, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/12/06; Passage of the designation of the Joshua A. Terando Princetŏn Post Office Building.

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1. 263; S. 403, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Rejected motion to concur with House on the Child Interstate Abortion Notification Act.

2. 262, 260, & 252; H.R. 6061, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/20 & 28-29 /06; Amendments, motions, and final passage of the Secure Fence Act of 2006.

3. 261; H.R. 5631, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/29/06; Agreement to conference report on the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for 2007.

4. 259-254; S. 3930, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/27-28/06; Amendments and passage of Military Commission Act of 2006.

5. 253; P.N. 1586, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/25/06; Confirmation Francisco Augusto Besosa, of Puerto Rico, to be U.S. District Judge.

6. 251; P.N. 358, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/19/06; Confirmation Alice S. Fisher, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

7. 250; H.R. 5684, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/19/06; Passage of the United States-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act.

8. 249-240; H.R. 4954, 109th Cong. (2006). 9/12-14/06; A series of national security, war, homeland security, etc. amendments to and final passage of the SAFE Port Act.

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*. The 2006 federal election occurred on November 7th. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 8th. The following Floor Votes, Numbers 240-263, occurred on the floor of the United States Senate during that time.

Appendix C

COMMITTEE HEARINGS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE DURING THE SIXTY DAY PERIOD PRIOR TO THE GENERAL ELECTION 2004 AND 2006

2004 COMMITTEE HEARINGS*

1. Oct. 8, 2004; *The Nation's Flu Shot Shortage: How It Happened and Where We Go from Here: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).**
2. Oct. 8, 2004; *Peacekeeping in Africa: Challenges and Opportunities: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Africa of the H. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
3. Oct. 8, 2004; *Employment Situation, Sept. 2004: Hearing Before the J. Economic Comm.*, 108th Cong. (2004).
4. Oct. 7, 2004; *Mortgage Fraud and Its Impact on Mortgage Lenders: Hearing before the H. Subcomm. on Housing and Community Opportunity of the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).
5. Oct. 7, 2004; *Federal Offender Reentry and Protecting Children from Criminal Recidivists: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).
6. Oct. 7, 2004; *Long-Run Economics of Natural Gas: J. Hearing Before the J. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following Committee hearings, listed here in reverse chronological order, occurred during that time.

**. The hearings are referenced by the date of the hearing and the Committee Hearing Title.

7. Oct. 7, 2004; *Employment Situation, Sept. 2004: Hearing Before the J. Economic Comm.*, 108th Cong. (2004).
8. Oct. 7, 2004; *Airline Industry Pension Plans: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).
9. Oct. 6, 2004; *Federal Revenue Options: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on the Budget*, 108th Cong. (2004).
10. Oct. 6, 2004; *Child Product Safety: Do Current Standards Provide Enough Protection?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Commerce. Trade, and Consumer Protection of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).
11. Oct. 6, 2004; *OFHEO Report: Allegations of Accounting and Management Failure at Fannie Mae: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises of the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).
12. Oct. 6, 2004; *Current Challenges in Combating the West Nile Virus: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
13. Oct. 6, 2004; *"Annual Report on International Religious Freedom 2004" and Designations of Countries of Particular Concern: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
14. Oct. 6, 2004; *U.S. Trade Disputes in Peru and Ecuador: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Western Hemisphere of the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
15. Oct. 6, 2004; *Presidential Succession Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Constitution of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).
16. Oct. 6, 2004; *Maritime Domain Awareness: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Coast Guard and Maritime*

Transportation of the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure, 108th Cong. (2004).

17. Oct. 6, 2004; *Department of Veterans Affairs Smart Card Projects: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs, 108th Cong. (2004).*

18. Oct. 6, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Armed Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).

19. Oct. 6, 2004; *Report of the Special Advisor to the Director of Central Intelligence for Strategy Regarding Iraqi Weapons of Mass Destruction Programs: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Armed Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).

20. Oct. 6, 2004; *Natural Gas: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Competition, Foreign Commerce, And Infrastructure of the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

21. Oct. 6, 2004; *Addressing the New Reality of Current Visa Policy on International Students and Researchers: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

22. Oct. 6, 2004; *East Asia Health Programs: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on East Asian and Pacific Affairs of the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

23. Oct. 6, 2004; *Intelligence Matters: Hearing Before the S. Select Comm. on Intelligence*, 108th Cong. (2004).

24. Oct. 6, 2004; *Bioshield II: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions and the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).

25. Oct. 5, 2004; *Neglected Diseases in East Asia: Are Public Health Programs Working? Part 8: Influenza Vaccine: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies of the H. Comm. on Appropriations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

26. Oct. 5, 2004; *The U.N. Oil for Food Program: Cash Cow Meets Paper Tiger: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).

27. Oct. 5, 2004; *Peer-to-Peer Piracy on University Campuses: An Update: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).

28. Oct. 5, 2004; *Free and Fair Presidential Election, and for Reaffirming Serbia's Commitment to Peace, Democracy, and the Rule of Law, Calling on Government of Libya To Review Legal Actions Taken Against Bulgarian Medical Workers, Urging the President of the EU To Add Hezbollah to EU's Wide-Ranging List of Terrorist Organizations, Pledging Continued U.S. support for the sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity, and democratic and economic reforms of the Republic of Georgia: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Europe of the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

29. Oct. 5, 2004; *Nomination of Pamela Hughes Patenaude: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

30. Oct. 5, 2004; *Universal Service E-Rate Program: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

31. Oct. 5, 2004; *Millennium Challenge Corporation: A Progress Report: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

32. Oct. 5, 2004; *Nomination of Gregory Eugene Jackson: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Governmental Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

33. Oct. 5, 2004; *Reducing Childhood Obesity: Public-Private Partnerships To Improve Nutrition and Increase Physical Activity in Children: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions*, 108th Cong. (2004).
34. Oct. 5, 2004; *Maximizing Voter Choice: Opening the Presidency to Naturalized Americans: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).
35. Oct. 5, 2004; *BioShield II: Responding to an Ever-Changing Threat: J. Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary and the S. Comm. on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions*, 108th Cong. (2004).
36. Oct. 4, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).
37. Sept. 30, 2004; *Secret Ballot Protection Act of 2004: Hearing on H.R. 4343 Before the H. Subcomm. on Employer-Employee Relations of the H. Comm. on Education and Workforce*, 108th Cong. (2004).
38. Sept. 30, 2004; *Controlling Bioterror: Assessing Our Nation's Drinking Water Security: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Environment and Hazardous Materials of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce, 108th Cong. (2004).*
39. Sept. 30, 2004; *Combating International Terrorist Financing: J. Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology and the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).
40. Sept. 30, 2004; *How Can We Maximize Private Sector Participation in Transportation?--Part II: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
41. Sept. 30, 2004; *Financial Management at the Department of Health and Human Services: Hearing on H.R. 4368 Before*

the H. Subcomm. on Government Efficiency and Financial Management of the H. Comm. on Government Reform, 108th Cong. (2004).

42. Sept. 30, 2004; *Comprehensive Peace in Sudan Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. On Africa of the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

43. Sept. 30, 2004; *A Bill To Transfer the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to the Department of the Interior: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans of the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).

44. Sept. 30, 2004; *Are Citizen Suit Provisions of the Clean Water Act Being Misused?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Water Resources and Environment of the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure*, 108th Cong. (2004).

45. Sept. 30, 2004; *The Commissioner of Social Security's Proposal to Improve the Disability Process, Inadequate Disclosure, Disparate State Tax Treatment, and Questionable Broker Sales Practices: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Social Security and the H. Subcomm. of Human Resources of the H. Comm. on Ways and Means*, 108th Cong. (2004).

46. Sept. 30, 2004; *Disrupting Terrorist Travel: Safeguarding America's Borders Through Information Sharing: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Infrastructure and Border Security and the H. Subcomm. on Intelligence and Counterterrorism of the H. Comm. on Homeland Security*, 108th Cong. (2004).

47. Sept. 30, 2004; *Internet Governance and Security: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Communications of the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

48. Sept. 30, 2004; *The Disposal Availability of Low-Level Radioactive Waste: Hearing on P.L. 96-573 Before the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).

49. Sept. 30, 2004; *Oversight of College Savings Plans: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Financial Management, the Budget, and International Security of the S. Comm. on Governmental Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).
50. Sept. 30, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004) (reported favorably several federal judges).
51. Sept. 30, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Veterans Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).
52. Sept. 29, 2004; *Review the Farm Credit System and Its Provisions for Associations To Exit the System, Schools Safely Acquiring Faculty Excellence Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Conservation, Credit, Rural Development, and Research of the H. Comm. on Agriculture*, 108th Cong. (2004).
53. Sept. 29, 2004; *Improving Women's Health: Understanding Depression After Pregnancy: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Health of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).
54. Sept. 29, 2004; *An Examination of Wireless Directory Assistance Policies and Programs: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Telecommunications and the Internet of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).
55. Sept. 29, 2004; *Afghanistan: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
56. Sept. 29, 2004; *Miscellaneous Measures: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Forests and Forest Health of the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).
57. Sept. 29, 2004; *National Incident Management System: Enhancing Response to Terrorist Attacks: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Emergency Preparedness and Response of the H. Select Comm. on Homeland Security*, 108th Cong. (2004).

58. Sept. 29, 2004; *Terrorist Financing: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

59. Sept. 29, 2004; *Stem Cell Research: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Science, Technology, and Space of the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

60. Sept. 29, 2004; *Land Bills: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Public Lands and Forests of the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources,* 108th Cong. (2004).

61. Sept. 29, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

62. Sept. 29, 2004; *Tribal Lobbying Matters: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Indian Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

63. Sept. 28, 2004; *Schools Safety Acquiring Faculty Excellence Act of 2004: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on 21st Century Competitiveness of the H. Comm. on Education and Workforce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

64. Sept. 28, 2004; *Protecting the Privacy of Consumers' Social Security Numbers: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

65. Sept. 28, 2004; *Oversight of USDA Racial Discrimination Case: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Constitution of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).

66. Sept. 28, 2004; *Policies To Enforce the Bank Secrecy Act and Prevent Money Laundering in Money Services Businesses and the Gaming Industry: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

67. Sept. 28, 2004; *Media Ownership: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

68. Sept. 28, 2004; *Media Ratings: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).

69. Sept. 28, 2004; *Multilateral Development Banks: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

70. Sept. 28, 2004; *Combating the Flu: Keeping Seniors Alive: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Aging*, 108th Cong. (2004).

71. Sept. 24, 2004; *Iraq Reconstruction Program: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs of the H. Comm. on Appropriations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

72. Sept. 24, 2004; *Oversight on Sage Grouse Conservation: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water of the S. Comm. on Environment and Public Works*, 108th Cong. (2004).

73. Sept. 24, 2004; *Treaties: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

74. Sept. 23, 2004; *Are Current Safeguards Protecting Taxpayers Against Diploma Mills?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on 21st Century Competitiveness of the H. Comm. on Education and Workforce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

75. Sept. 23, 2004; *FDA's Role in Protecting the Public Health: Examining FDA's Review of Safety and Efficacy Concerns in Anti-Depressant Use by Children: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

76. Sept. 23, 2004; *Encouraging Small Business Growth and Access to Capital: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).

77. Sept. 23, 2004; *Intellectual Property Piracy: Are We Doing Enough To Protect U.S. Innovation Abroad: Hearing*

Before the H. Comm. on Government Reform, 108th Cong. (2004).

78. Sept. 23, 2004; *U.S. Security Policy in Afghanistan on Eve of National Elections: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

79. Sept. 23, 2004; *Oversight of Endangered Species: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife, and Oceans of the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).

80. Sept. 23, 2004; *Select Tax Issues: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Select Revenue Measures of the H. Comm. on Ways and Means*, 108th Cong. (2004).

81. Sept. 23, 2004; *National Labor Relations Board Issues: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies of the S. Comm. on Appropriations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

82. Sept. 23, 2004; *Global Posture Review of U.S.: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Armed Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).

83. Sept. 23, 2004; *Prescription Drug Abuse and Diversion: The Role of Prescription Drug Monitoring Programs: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions*, 108th Cong. (2004).

84. Sept. 22, 2004; *Repairing the 21ST Century Car: Is Technology Locking the Consumer Out?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

85. Sept. 22, 2004; *Problems with the E-Rate Program: Waste, Fraud, and Abuse Concerns in the Wiring of Our Nation's Schools to the Internet: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).

86. Sept. 22, 2004; *Legislative Proposals To Implement the Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).
87. Sept. 22, 2004; *Access to Recovery: Improving Participation and Access in Drug Treatment, Costs, Consequences, and Potential Solutions: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
88. Sept. 22, 2004; *Dietary Supplements: Nature's Answer to Cost Effective Preventative Medicine: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Human Rights and Wellness of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
89. Sept. 22, 2004; *Combating Terrorism: The 9/11 Commission Recommendations and the National Strategies: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats, and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
90. Sept. 22, 2004; *Identity Theft: The Causes, Costs, Consequences, and Potential Solutions?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations, and the Census of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).
91. Sept. 22, 2004; *Asia's Environmental Challenges: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Asia and the Pacific of the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
92. Sept. 22, 2004; *Disarmament of Libya's Weapons of Mass Destruction: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on International Terrorism, Nonproliferation, and Human Rights of the H. Comm. on International Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
93. Sept. 22, 2004; *Water Legislation: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Water and Power of the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).

94. Sept. 22, 2004; *Impact of High Natural Gas Prices on Small Farmers and Manufacturers: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Rural Enterprise, Agriculture, and Technology of the H. Comm. on Small Business*, 108th Cong. (2004).

95. Sept. 22, 2004; *Trade Preferences for Haiti, Including the USA PATRIOT Act and the SAFE Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Trade of the H. Comm. on Ways and Means*, 108th Cong. (2004).

96. Sept. 22, 2004; *Emergency Warning Systems: Ways To Notify the Public in the New Era of Homeland Security: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Emergency Preparedness and Response of the H. Comm. on Homeland Security*, 108th Cong. (2004).

97. Sept. 22, 2004; *9/11 Commission Recommendations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Appropriations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

98. Sept. 22, 2004; *Examination and Oversight of the Condition and Regulation of the Insurance Industry: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

99. Sept. 22, 2004; *Nomination of Lloyd O. Pierson: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations*, 108th Cong. (2004).

100. Sept. 22, 2004; *Code Talkers: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Indian Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

101. Sept. 22, 2004; *Review of Counter-Terrorism Legislation and Proposals: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).

102. Sept. 22, 2004; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary*, 108th Cong. (2004).

103. Sept. 22, 2004; *Expanding Consumer Choice and Addressing 'Adverse Selection' Concerns in Health Insurance: Hearing Before the J. Economic Comm.*, 108th Cong. (2004).

104.Sept. 21, 2004; *Keeping Seniors Healthy: New Perspective Benefits in the Medicare Modernization Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Health of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce*, 108th Cong. (2004).
105.Sept. 21, 2004; *Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians Land Transfer Act: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).
106.Sept. 21, 2004; *Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: Human Trafficking: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Armed Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).
107.Sept. 21, 2004; *Review of the 9/11 Commission's Intelligence Recommendations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Appropriations*, 108th Cong. (2004).
108.Sept. 21, 2004; *Commission on Ocean Policy: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).
109.Sept. 21, 2004; *Wireless 411 Privacy Act: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, 108th Cong. (2004).
110.Sept. 21, 2004; *Harbert and Shaw Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).
111.Sept. 21, 2004; *Petrified Forest in Arizona, Quincentennial of the Discovery of Florida, Harry S Truman National Historic Site, Hudson-Fulton-Champlain Commission, and Roaming Horses in Cape Lookout National Seashore: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on National Parks of the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).
112.Sept. 21, 2004; *Indian Jails: A Clarion Call for Reform: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Finance*, 108th Cong. (2004).
113.Sept. 21, 2004; *Refugees: Seeking Solutions to a Global Concern: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Immigration,*

Border Security, and Citizenship of the S. Comm. on Judiciary, 108th Cong. (2004).

114. Sept. 21, 2004; *Intelligence Matters: Hearing Before the S. Select Comm. on Intelligence*, 108th Cong. (2004).

115. Sept. 21, 2004; *American Legion: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs and the H. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs*, 108th Cong. (2004).

116. Sept. 20, 2004; *Issues Affecting Rural Communities in the Southwest: National Forest Management and the Endangered Species Act: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Resources*, 108th Cong. (2004).

117. Sept. 20, 2004; *Nomination: Hearing Before the S. Select Comm. on Intelligence*, 108th Cong. (2004).

118. Sept. 20, 2004; *Breaking the Silver Ceiling: A New Generation of Older Americans Redefining the New Rules of the Workplace: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Aging*, 108th Cong. (2004).

119. Sept. 15, 2004; *Financial Services Issues: A Consumer's Perspective: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit of the H. Comm. on Financial Services*, 108th Cong. (2004).

120. Sept. 15, 2004; *Making Networx Work: An Examination of GSA's Continuing Efforts To Create a Modern: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).

121. Sept. 15, 2004; *Evolving Role of the Federal CFO: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Government Efficiency and Financial Management of the H. Comm. on Government Reform*, 108th Cong. (2004).

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110.Sept. 20, 2006; *Serbia: Current Issues and Future Direction: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Europe and Emerging Threats of the H. Comm. on International Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

111.Sept. 20, 2006; *Mineral Commodity Information Administration: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy and Mineral Resources of the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

112.Sept. 20, 2006; *Climate Change Technology Programs: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy of the H. Comm. on Science,* 109th Cong. (2006).

113.Sept. 20, 2006; *International Polar Year: the Scientific Agenda and Federal Role: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Research of the H. Comm. on Science,* 109th Cong. (2006).

114.Sept. 20, 2006; *Oversight of Federal Aviation Administration Safety Programs: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Aviation of the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure,* 109th Cong. (2006).

115.Sept. 20, 2006; *Veterans Fiscal Year Review: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

116.Sept. 20, 2006; *Non-Traditional Mortgage Products: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Housing and Transportation and the S. Subcomm. on Economic Policy of the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

117.Sept. 20, 2006; *Internet Governance: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Trade, Tourism, and Economic Development of the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* 109th Cong. (2006).

118.Sept. 20, 2006; *Nomination of Mary Peters: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* 109th Cong. (2006).

119.Sept. 20, 2006; *Asia-Pacific Partnership on Clean Development and Climate: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Environment and Public Works,* 109th Cong. (2006).

120.Sept. 20, 2006; *Business Tax Reform: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Finance,* 109th Cong. (2006).

121.Sept. 20, 2006; *Nomination of Donald Yamamoto: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

122.Sept. 20, 2006; *National Security Personnel System: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).
123.Sept. 20, 2006; *Tribal Self-Governance: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Indian Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).
124.Sept. 20, 2006; *Reporters' Privilege Legislation: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).
125.Sept. 20, 2006; *Restructuring of the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).
126.Sept. 20, 2006; *American Legion: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).
127.Sept. 19, 2006; *Improving NIH Management and Operation: a Legislative Hearing on the NIH Reform Act of 2006: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce,* 109th Cong. (2006).
128.Sept. 19, 2006; *Sarbanes-Oxley at Four: Protecting Investors and Strengthening the Markets: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Financial Services,* 109th Cong. (2006).
129.Sept. 19, 2006; *Combating Terrorism: Lessons Learned from London: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats, and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).
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131.Sept. 19, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Armed Services,* 109th Cong. (2006).
132.Sept. 19, 2006; *Combating Child Pornography: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

133.Sept. 19, 2006; *Online Child Pornography: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* 109th Cong. (2006).
134.Sept. 19, 2006; *Iran's Nuclear Ambitions and U.S. Policy: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).
135.Sept. 19, 2006; *Prison Radicalization: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).
136.Sept. 19, 2006; *Cost of Crime: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).
137.Sept. 19, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006) (regarding federal judges).
138.Sept. 18, 2006; *Review of Federal Farm Policy: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Agriculture,* 109th Cong. (2006).
139.Sept. 16, 2006; *Review of Federal Farm Policy: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Agriculture,* 109th Cong. (2006).
140.Sept. 15, 2006; *Contact Lens Sales: Is Market Regulation the Prescription?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).
141.Sept. 15, 2006; *Iraq: Democracy or Civil War?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats, and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).
142.Sept. 14 and 21, 2006; *Review of Federal Farm Policy: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Science, the Departments of State, Justice and Commerce, and Related Agencies of the H. Comm. on Agriculture,* 109th Cong. (2006).
143.Sept. 14 and 21, 2006; *FBI Transformation: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Science, the Departments of State,*

Justice and Commerce, and Related Agencies of the H. Comm. on Appropriations, 109th Cong. (2006).

144.Sept. 14, 2006; *A Review of Regulatory Proposals on Basel Capital and Commercial Real Estate: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit of the H. Comm. on Financial Services,* 109th Cong. (2006).

145.Sept. 14, 2006; *Part Two: Interior Department: A Culture of Management Irresponsibility and Lack of Accountability?: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).

146.Sept. 14, 2006; *Science of Prevention: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Prevention of Nuclear and Biological Attack of the H. Comm. on Homeland Security,* 109th Cong. (2006).

147.Sept. 14, 2006; *Japan's Relations with Its Neighbors: Back to the Future?: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on International Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

148.Sept. 14, 2006; *Is There a Clash of Civilizations? Islam, Democracy, and U.S.-Middle East and Central Asia Policy: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Middle East and Central Asia of the H. Comm. on International Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

149.Sept. 14, 2006; *D.C. Fair and Equal House Voting Rights Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Constitution of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

150.Sept. 14, 2006; *Bill To Amend Title 35, U.S. Code, To Conform Certain Filing Provisions Within the Patent and Trademark Office: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

151.Sept. 14, 2006; *Miscellaneous Measures: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Fisheries and Oceans of the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

152.Sept. 14, 2006; *Miscellaneous Measures: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Forests and Forest Health of the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

153.Sept. 14, 2006; *Review of Coast Guard Mission Performance: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation of the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure,* 109th Cong. (2006).

154.Sept. 14, 2006; *Overview of the Global Nuclear Energy Partnership (GNEP), Including Proposed Advanced Reactor Technologies for Recycling Nuclear Waste: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Energy and Water of the S. Comm. on Appropriations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

155.Sept. 14, 2006; *Catching Terrorists: The British System Versus the U.S. System: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Homeland Security of the S. Comm. on Appropriations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

156.Sept. 14, 2006; *Predatory Lending Practices: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

157.Sept. 14, 2006; *Rural Air Service: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Aviation; ; S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* 109th Cong. (2006).

158.Sept. 14, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

159.Sept. 14, 2006; *Nuclear Regulatory Commission: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Clean Air, Climate Change, and Nuclear Safety of the S. Comm. on Environment and Public Works,* 109th Cong. (2006).

160.Sept. 14, 2006; *Federal Agencies Conference Spending: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, and International Security of the S. Comm. on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

161.Sept. 14, 2006; *Immigration Employment Skills-Based Point System: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions,* 109th Cong. (2006).
162.Sept. 14, 2006; *Nomination of Carl J. Artman: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Indian Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).
163.Sept. 14, 2006; *Suicide Among Seniors: Hearing Before the S. Spec. Comm. on Aging,* 109th Cong. (2006).
164.Sept. 13, 2006; *Federal Farm Policy: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Agriculture,* 109th Cong. (2006).
165.Sept. 13, 2006; *Oversight of Nuclear Energy: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy and Water Development of the H. Comm. on Agriculture,* 109th Cong. (2006).
166.Sept. 13, 2006; *How Budgetary Choices Affect Work – Saving, and Growth: The Real Purpose of Dynamic Estimating: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Budget,* 109th Cong. (2006).
167.Sept. 13, 2006; *Nuclear Waste and Hydroelectric Energy Efficiency Legislation: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy and Air Quality of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce,* 109th Cong. (2006).
168.Sept. 13, 2006; *Continuing Ethics and Management Concerns at NIH and the Public health Service Commission and Corps: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Oversight and Investigations of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce,* 109th Cong. (2006).
169.Sept. 13, 2006; *CyberSecurity: Protecting America's Critical Infrastructure, Economy, and Consumers: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Telecommunications and the Internet of the H. Comm. on Energy and Commerce,* 109th Cong. (2006).
170.Sept. 13, 2006; *Stabilizing Insurance markets for Coastal Consumers: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Capital*

Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises of the H. Comm. on Financial Services, 109th Cong. (2006).

171.Sept. 13, 2006; *Interior Department: A Culture of Managerial Irresponsibility and Lack of Accountability?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Energy and Resources of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).

172.Sept. 13, 2006; *DHS Financial Management: Evaluating Progress in Improving Internal Controls: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Government Management, Finance, and Accountability of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).

173.Sept. 13, 2006; *Iraq: Democracy or Civil War?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats, and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).

174.Sept. 13, 2006; *The Future of Cyber and Telecommunications Security at the Department of Homeland Security: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Economic Security, Infrastructure Protection, and Cybersecurity of the H. Comm. on Homeland Security,* 109th Cong. (2006).

175.Sept. 13, 2006; *Homeland Security Information Network: an Update on DHS Information Sharing Efforts: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Intelligence, Information Sharing, and Terrorism Risk Assessment of the H. Comm. on Homeland Security,* 109th Cong. (2006).

176.Sept. 13, 2006; *Helping Business Protect the Homeland: Is the Department of Homeland Security Effectively Implementing the SAFETY Act?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Management, Integration, and Oversight and the H. Subcomm. on Emergency Preparedness, Science, and Technology of the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

177.Sept. 13, 2006; *The Americans With Disabilities Act: Sixteen Years Later: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on the Constitution of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

178.Sept. 13, 2006; *Miscellaneous Measures: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

179.Sept. 13, 2006; *Visitation Trends in the Nation Park System, Part II: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Parks of the H. Comm. on Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

180.Sept. 13, 2006; *How Can Technologies Help Secure Our Borders?: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Science,* 109th Cong. (2006).

181.Sept. 13, 2006; *Low Pressure Liquid Pipelines: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure,* 109th Cong. (2006).

182.Sept. 13, 2006; *Great Lakes Restoration and Protection: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Water Resources and Environment of the H. Comm. on Transportation and Infrastructure,* 109th Cong. (2006).

183.Sept. 13, 2006; *Oversight of Veterans Benefits Claims Adjudicators: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs of the H. Comm. on Veterans' Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

184.Sept. 13, 2006; *National Strategy for Combating Terrorism: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Terrorism, Human Intelligence, Analysis, and Counterintelligence of the H. Permanent Select Comm. on Intelligence,* 109th Cong. (2006).

185.Sept. 13, 2006; *Various Bills and Resolutions: Hearing Before the H. Comm. on International Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

186.Sept. 13, 2006; *Housing Bubble: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Economic Policy and the S. Subcomm. on*

Housing and Transportation of the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, 109th Cong. (2006).

187.Sept. 13, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Environment and Public Works,* 109th Cong. (2006).

188.Sept. 13, 2006; *Hospital Charitable Care and Community Benefits: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Finance,* 109th Cong. (2006).

189.Sept. 13, 2006; *Lebanon: Securing a Permanent Cease-Fire: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

190.Sept. 13, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

191.Sept. 13, 2006; *Medicaid: Managed Care: Hearing Before the S. Spec. Comm. on Aging,* 109th Cong. (2006).

192.Sept. 13, 2006; *Challenges Facing Federal Prosecutors: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on Crime and Drugs of the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

193.Sept. 12, 2006; *Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations for 2007 Part 4: Afghanistan Interdiction/Eradication of Illegal Narcotics and U.S. Led Rebuilding Programs: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs of the H. Comm. on Appropriations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

194.Sept. 12, 2006; *International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and the Importance of Agricultural Development in Sustainable Global Poverty Reduction: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology of the H. Comm. on Financial Services,* 109th Cong. (2006).

195.Sept. 12, 2006; *Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on Crime, Terrorism, and Homeland Security of the H. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

196.Sept. 12, 2006; *Treasury Role in Combating Terrorist Financing: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

197.Sept. 12, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* 109th Cong. (2006).

198.Sept. 12, 2006; *BP Pipeline Failure: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Energy and Natural Resources,* 109th Cong. (2006).

199.Sept. 12, 2006; *Methamphetamine Supply Chain: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Finance,* 109th Cong. (2006).

200.Sept. 12, 2006; *Nomination of James Kunder: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Foreign Relations,* 109th Cong. (2006).

201.Sept. 12, 2006; *Homeland Security Next Five Years: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs,* 109th Cong. (2006).

202.Sept. 12, 2006; *Thompson Memorandum: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006).

203.Sept. 12, 2006; *Nominations: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on the Judiciary,* 109th Cong. (2006) (regarding federal district judges).

204.Sept. 11, 2006; *Iraq: Democracy or Civil War?: Hearing Before the H. Subcomm. on National Security, Emerging Threats, and International Relations of the H. Comm. on Government Reform,* 109th Cong. (2006).

205.Sept. 11, 2006; *U.S., Canada, and Mexico Trade Relations Under NAFTA: Hearing Before the S. Subcomm. on*

International Trade of the S. Comm. on Finance, 109th Cong. (2006).

206. Sept. 8, 2006; *Regional Farm Bill Field for Lubbock, Texas: Hearing Before the S. Comm. on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry,* 109th Cong. (2006).

Appendix D

COMMITTEE REPORTS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE ISSUED DURING THE SIXTY DAY PERIOD PRIOR TO GENERAL ELECTIONS 2004 AND 2006

2004 COMMITTEE REPORTS*

1. Oct. 11, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-398 (2004). Senate Committee on Appropriations; Report: Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for FY2005.**
2. Oct. 11, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-399 (2004). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: Training for Realtime Writers Act of 2003.
3. Oct. 11, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-400 (2004). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: National Ocean Exploration Program Act.
4. Oct. 11, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-401 (2004). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: Marine Debris Research and Reduction Act.
5. Oct. 11, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-402 (2004). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: Ocean and Coastal Mapping Integration Act.
6. Oct. 9, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-773 (2004). House Committee on Appropriations; Report: Making Appropriations for Military Construction, Family Housing, and Base

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following Committee reports, listed here in reverse chronological order, were issued by Senate and House Committees during that time.

**. The Committee Reports are referenced by the date, the Committee Report Citation, the Committee, and the topic of the Report.

Realignment and Closure for the Department of Defense for the Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 2005.

7. Oct. 9, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-774 (2004). House Committee on Appropriations; Report: Making Appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 2005.

8. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-767 (2004). House Committee on Armed Services; Report: Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for FY2005.

9. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-754, pt. 2 (2004). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Requesting the President and Directing the Secretary of Health and Human Services Provide Certain Documents to the House of Representatives Relating to Estimates and Analyses of the Cost of the Medicare Prescription Drug Legislation.

10. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-770 (2004). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: National Uniformity for Food Act of 2004.

11. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-768 (2004). House Committee on Government Reform; Report: Program Assessment and Results Act.

12. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-764 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving a Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.

13. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-765 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of Motions To Suspend the Rules.

14. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-766 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving a Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day

Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.

15. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-769 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Points of Order Against the Conference Report To Accompany H.R. 4200, National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2005.

16. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-772 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.

17. Oct. 8, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-771 (2004). House Committee on Ways and Means; Report: Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2004.

18. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-396 (2004). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: Public Broadcasting Reauthorization Act of 2004.

19. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-392 (2004). Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs; Report: Federal Employee Protection of Disclosures Act.

20. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-393 (2004). Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs; Report: Federal Employee Dental and Vision Benefits Enhancement Act of 2004.

21. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-397 (2004). Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; Report: Providing for Equitable Compensation to the Spokane Tribe of Indians of the Spokane Reservation for the Use of Tribal Land for the Production of Hydropower by the Grand Coulee Dam.

22. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-394 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: Asthmatic Schoolchildren's Treatment and Health Management Act of 2004.

23. Oct. 8, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-395 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: Keeping Seniors Safe from Falls Act of 2004.
24. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-756 (2004). House Committee on the Judiciary; Report: Animal Fighting Prohibition Enforcement Act of 2004.
25. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-757 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Additional Authorization of Appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978.
26. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-758 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Lower Rio Grande Valley Water Resources Conservation and Improvement Act of 2004.
27. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-759 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Wichita Project Equus Beds Division Authorization Act of 2004.
28. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-760 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Amending the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act To Authorize the Secretary of the Interior To Participate in the El Paso – Texas, Water Reclamation – Reuse, and Desalinization Project.
29. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-761 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Northern Mariana Islands Delegate Act.
30. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-751 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 10, 9/11 Recommendations Implementation Act.
31. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-752 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.

32. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-753 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of Motions To Suspend the Rules.
33. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-762 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Points of Order Against the Conference Report To Accompany H.R. 4520, American Jobs Creation Act of 2004.
34. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-763 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving a Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.
35. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-754, pt. 1 (2004). House Committee on Ways and Means; Report: Requesting the President and Directing the Secretary of Health and Human Services Provide Certain Documents to the House of Representatives Relating to Estimates and Analyses of the Cost of the Medicare Prescription Drug Legislation.
36. Oct. 7, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-755 (2004). House Committee on Ways and Means; Report: American Jobs Creation Act of 2004.
37. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-386 (2004). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Water Infrastructure Financing Act.
38. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-389 (2004). Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; Report: Bill To Direct the Secretary of Interior and the Heads of Other Federal Agencies To Carry Out an Agreement Resolving Major Issues Relating to the Adjudication of Water Rights in the Snake River Basin, Idaho.
39. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-387 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: Pancreatic Islet Cell Transplantation Act of 2004.

40. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-388 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: Children's Hospitals Educational Equity and Research Act or the CHEER Act.
41. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-390 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: HIPAA Recreational Injury Technical Correction Act.
42. Oct. 7, 2004; S. Rep. No. 108-391 (2004). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: Act for Elder Justice.
43. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-750, pt. 1 (2004). House Committee on Agriculture; Report: Specialty Crops Competitiveness Act of 2004.
44. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-748 (2004). House Committee on Financial Services; Report: Zero Downpayment Act of 2004.
45. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-747 (2004). House Committee on the Judiciary; Report: Security and Fairness Enhancement for America Act of 2003.
46. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-721, pt. 2 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Tapoco Project Licensing Act of 2004.
47. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-738 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Cumberland Island Wilderness Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004.
48. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-739 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Potash Royalty Reduction Act of 2004.
49. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-740 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Idaho Panhandle National Forest Improvement Act of 2003.
50. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-741 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: To Provide for the

Conveyance of Certain Public Land in Clark County, Nevada, for Use as a Heliport.

51. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-742 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Native Hawaiian Government Reorganization Act of 2004.

52. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-743 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Hibben Center Act.

53. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-744 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Manhattan Project Sites Study Act of 2004.

54. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-745 (2004). House Committee on Resources; Report: Congratulating the U.S. Geological Survey on Its 125th Anniversary.

55. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-735 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5212, Making Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for the Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 2005, for Additional Disaster Assistance Relating to Storm Damage.

56. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-736 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Points of Order Against the Conference Report To Accompany H.R. 4850, D.C. Appropriations Act, 2005.

57. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-737 (2004). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5107, Justice for All Act of 2004.

58. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-746 (2004). House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Report: Public Transportation Terrorism Prevention and Response Act of 2004.

59. Oct. 6, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-749, pt. 1 (2004). House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Report: Norman Y. Mineta Research and Special Programs Reorganization Act.

60. Oct. 5, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-734 (2004). House Committee on Appropriations; Report: Making Appropriations for the Government of D.C. and Other Activities Chargeable in Whole or in Part Against Revenues of Said District for the Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 2005.

61. Oct. 5, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-726 (2004). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Pancreatic Islet Cell Transplantation Act of 2004.

62. Oct. 5, 2004; H.R. Rep. No. 108-727, pt. 1 (2004). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Patient Navigator Outreach and Chronic Disease Prevention Act of 2004.

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19. Sept. 28, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-694 (2006). House Committee on Resources; Report: To Require the Prompt Review by the Secretary of the Interior of the Longstanding Petitions for Federal Recognition of Certain Indian Tribes.
20. Sept. 28, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-696 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act.
21. Sept. 28, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-700 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving a Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.

22. Sept. 28, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-701 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Points of Order Against the Conference Report To Accompany H.R. 5441, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act for 2007, Providing for Consideration of S. 3930, Military Commissions Act of 2006, Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4772, Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006.
23. Sept. 28, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-698 (2006). House Committee on Science; Report: U.S. Tsunami Warning and Education Act.
24. Sept. 27, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-689 (2006). House Committee on International Relations; Report: Directing the Secretary of State To Provide to the House of Representatives Certain Documents in the Possession of the Secretary of State Relating to the Report Submitted to the Committee on International Relations of the House of Representatives on July 28, 2006, Pursuant to the Iran and Syria Nonproliferation Act.
25. Sept. 27, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-690 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of Motions To Suspend the Rules.
26. Sept. 27, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-691 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving a Requirement of Clause 6(a) of Rule XIII with Respect to the Same Day Consideration of Certain Resolutions Reported by the Rules Committee.
27. Sept. 27, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-692 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4772, Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006.
28. Sept. 27, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-351 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: To Promote Remediation for Inactive and Abandoned Mines.

29. Sept. 27, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-352 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Extend Authorization of Appropriations for Lake Pontchartrain Basin.
30. Sept. 27, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-353 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Dana Point Desalination Project Authorization Act.
31. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-681 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Extension of Time for Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project Numbered 11480.
32. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-682 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Extension of Time for the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Hydroelectric Project Numbered 1651.
33. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-683 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Extension of Time for Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Projects Numbered 11547, 10822, and 10823.
34. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-684 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Arrowrock Hydroelectric Project Numbered 4656.
35. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-685 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Reinstatement of License for Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project Numbered 7307.
36. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-686 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Biodefense and Pandemic Vaccine and Drug Development Act of 2006.
37. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-687 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: National Institutes of Health Reform Act of 2006.

38. Sept. 26, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-688 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 6166, Military Commissions Act of 2006.
39. Sept. 26, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-350 (2006). Senate Committee on Appropriations; Report: Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for FY 2007.
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41. Sept. 26, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-348 (2006). Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; Report: American History Achievement Act.
42. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-676 (2006). House Committee on Appropriations; Report: Making Appropriations for the Department of Defense for the Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 2007.
43. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-674 (2006). House Committee on Homeland Security; Report: Promoting Antiterrorism Capabilities Through International Cooperation Act.
44. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-584, pt. 2 (2006). House Committee on House Administration; Report: Commission To Study the Potential Creation of a National Museum of the American Latino Community Act of 2006.
45. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-680, pt. 1 (2006). House Select Committee on Intelligence; Report: Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act.
46. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-664, pt. 2 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Military Commissions Act of 2006.

47. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-680, pt. 2 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act.
48. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-675 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Federal Agency Protection of Privacy Act of 2005.
49. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-677 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Waiving Points of Order Against the Conference Report To Accompany H.R. 5631, Department of Defense Appropriations Act for 2007.
50. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-678 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2679, Veterans' Memorials, Boy Scouts, Public Seals, and Other Public Expressions of Religion Protection Act of 2006.
51. Sept. 25, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-679 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of S. 403, Child Custody Protection Act.
52. Sept. 25, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-346 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Convention on Supplementary Compensation for Nuclear Damage Contingent Cost Allocation Act.
53. Sept. 25, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-347 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Nuclear Release Notice Act of 2006.
54. Sept. 21, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-672 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (BATFE) Modernization and Reform Act of 2006.
55. Sept. 21, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-673 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Pilot Programs for Patent Judges.

56. Sept. 21, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-345 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Wastewater Treatment Works Security Act of 2006.
57. Sept. 20, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-671 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4830, Border Tunnel Prevention Act of 2006, For Consideration of H.R. 6094, Community Protection Act of 2006, and for Consideration of H.R. 6095, Immigration Law Enforcement Act of 2006.
58. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-338 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Great Lakes Coordination and Oversight Act of 2006.
59. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-339 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Tylersville Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act.
60. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-340 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: North American Wetlands Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2006.
61. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-341 (2006). Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works; Report: Paint Bank and Wytheville National Fish Hatcheries Conveyance Act.
62. Sept. 20, 2006; Exec. Rpt. 109-19. (2006). Senate Committee on Foreign Relations; Report: Extradition Treaty Between the United States of America and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (Treaty Doc. 108-23).
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64. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-343 (2006). Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; Report: Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Equitable Compensation Amendments Act of 2005.

65. Sept. 20, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-344 (2006). Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; Report: Tribal Parity Act.
66. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-668 (2006). House Committee on Agriculture; Report: PIC and POPs Conventions and the LRTAP POPs Protocol Implementation Act.
67. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-666 (2006). House Committee on House Administration; Report: Federal Election Integrity Act of 2006.
68. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-665 (2006). House Committee on Resources; Report: Coral Reef Conservation Legacy Act of 2006.
69. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-670 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4844, Federal Election Integrity Act of 2006.
70. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-667 (2006). House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Report: MARPOL Annex VI Implementation Act of 2006.
71. Sept. 19, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-669 (2006). House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Report: Railroad Retirement Disability Earnings Act.
72. Sept. 19, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-337 (2006). Senate Committee on Finance; Report: Elder Justice Act.
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74. Sept. 15, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-663 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: To Enact Certain Laws Relating to Public Contracts As Title 41, U.S. Code, "Public Contracts."
75. Sept. 15, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-600, pt. 2 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Wright Amendment Reform Act.

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77. Sept. 15, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-662 (2006). House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; Report: Public Transportation Security Assistance Act of 2006.
78. Sept. 15, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-335 (2006). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: National Transportation Safety Board Reauthorization Act of 2006.
79. Sept. 15, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-336 (2006). Senate Committee on Finance; Report: Telephone Excise Tax Repeal and Taxpayer Protection and Assistance Act of 2006.
80. Sept. 14, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-659 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: To Authorize Temporary Emergency Extensions to Certain Exemptions to the Requirements with Respect to Polychlorinated Biphenyls Under the Toxic Substances Control Act.
81. Sept. 14, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-660 (2006). House Committee on Government Reform; Report: Regulation in Plain Language Act of 2006.
82. Sept. 14, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-657 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Veterans' Memorials, Boy Scouts, Public Seals, and Other Public Expressions of Religion Protection Act of 2006.
83. Sept. 14, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-656 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Nondiscriminatory Taxation of Natural Gas Pipeline Property.
84. Sept. 14, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-658 (2006). House Committee on Judiciary; Report: Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006.

85. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-652 (2006). House Committee on Government Reform; Report: Truth in Regulating Act Extension.
86. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-650 (2006). House Committee on Resources; Report: Restricting Indian Gaming to Homelands of Tribes Act of 2006.
87. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-653 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 6061, Secure Fence Act of 2006.
88. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-654 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for the Adoption of H. Res. 1000, Providing for Earmarking Reform in the House of Representatives.
89. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-655 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Earmarking Reform in the House of Representatives.
90. Sept. 13, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-651, pt. 1 (2006). House Committee on Veterans' Affairs; Report: Veterans Identity and Credit Security Act of 2006.
91. Sept. 13, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-334 (2006). Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; Report: Lumbee Recognition Act.
92. Sept. 12, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-649, pt. 1 (2006). House Committee on Financial Services; Report: Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2006.
93. Sept. 12, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-648, pt. 1 (2006). House Committee on Financial Services; Report: Financial Netting Improvements Act of 2006.
94. Sept. 12, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-646 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H. Res. 994, Expressing the Sense of the House of Representatives on the Fifth Anniversary of the Terrorist Attacks Launched Against the U.S. on Sept. 11, 2001.

95. Sept. 12, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-647 (2006). House Committee on Rules; Report: Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2965, Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act of 2006.
96. Sept. 11, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-333 (2006). Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Report: Expressing the Sense of Congress That States Should Require Candidates for Driver's Licenses To Demonstrate an Ability To Exercise Greatly Increased Caution When Driving in the Proximity of a Potentially Visually Impaired Individual.
97. Sept. 11, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-332 (2006). Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs; Report: Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Act of 2006.
98. Sept. 8, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-644 (2006). House Committee on Energy and Commerce; Report: Wool Suit Fabric Labeling Fairness and International Standards Conforming Act.
99. Sept. 8, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-645 (2006). House Committee on Financial Services; Report: FHA Multifamily Loan Limit Adjustment Act of 2006.
100. Sept. 8, 2006; H.R. Rep. No. 109-643 (2006). House Committee on Veterans' Affairs; Report: Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Facility Authorization Act of 2006.
101. Sept. 8, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-330 (2006). Senate Select Committee on Intelligence; Report: Use by the Intelligence Community of Information Provided by the Iraqi National Congress.
102. Sept. 8, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-331 (2006). Senate Select Committee on Intelligence; Report: Postwar Findings About Iraq's WMD Programs and Links to Terrorism and How They Compare with Prewar Assessments.

103.Sept. 8, 2006; S. Rep. No. 109-329 (2006). Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs; Report: Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006.

Appendix E

ISSUES DISCUSSED ON THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE DURING THE SIXTY DAYS PRIOR TO THE GENERAL ELECTION 2004 AND 2006

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES – 2004*

Issues Discussed September 7, 150 Cong Rec. H6709-57 (Daily Ed. Sept. 7, 2004).

1. Report on H.R. 5006, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
2. The Home-stretch Agenda
3. Hike in Medicare Premiums
4. Terror Attacks in Russia Part of Global War on Terror
5. U.S. Economy Keeps on Growing and Creating New Jobs
6. Weekly Award for Worst Example of Biased Liberal Media Report
7. Emergency Disaster Funds Necessary for Florida
8. Tropical Forest Conservation Act Reauthorization
9. Report on House Resolution 700, Directing the Attorney General to Transmit Documents in the Possession of the Attorney General Relating to Treatment of Prisoners and Detainees in Iraq, Afghanistan, and Guantanamo Bay
10. Announcement of Intention to Offer Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 1308, Tax Relief, Simplification, and Equity Act of 2003

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following issues were discussed on the floor of the House of Representatives during that time. This list excludes renaming of buildings, recognizing honored individuals or groups, and extensions of remarks.

11. Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2004
12. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5006, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
13. Saudi Arabia and Terrorism: the Painful Truth
14. Medicare Premium Increase Squeezes Seniors' Budgets
15. Honoring the First Responders of the Eleventh District of Georgia
16. Assault Weapons Ban must Not Expire
17. Smart Security and Elections
18. Breach of the Commitment to Medicare
19. Two Unfortunate National Records
20. Assault Weapons Ban Extension
21. Why the Capital Looks like a Bewildered City under Attack
22. To Modify the Generalized System of Preferences, and for Other Purposes--message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 108-211)
23. Major Topics in this Fall's Election
24. The State of Our Economy

Issues Discussed September 8, 150 Cong. Rec. H6759-901 (Daily Ed. Sept. 8, 2004).1.

TV Affects Sexual Behavior of Teens
2. Disgraceful Statements by Vice President
3. Homeownership at an All-time High
4. Provide Protection Before Disasters Occur
5. President an Outstanding Leader in War on Terror
6. The Economy, Unemployment, and Medicare Premiums
7. Being less Critical of the President
8. Expressing Alarm about America's Shrinking Fleet
9. Demanding the Truth

10. 2005 Republican Freedom Calendar Celebrating the 150th Anniversary of Republican Party
11. Bush Economic Policies Not Working
12. Election of Member to Committee on Armed Services
13. Economy Suffering under Bush Administration
14. Bush Administration under Funds Homeland Security
15. Heartfelt Sympathy and Condolences for Russia
16. Politics of Hope Versus Politics of Fear for America
17. Expressing Indignation Resulting from Comments of Vice President
18. Are We Safer Now than 4 Years Ago?
19. Outrage over Increase in Medicare Part B Premiums
20. Loss of Soldiers' Lives
21. Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
22. Making in Order at Any Time Consideration of House Resolution 757, Expressing Sense of the House on Anniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against United States on September 11, 2001
23. Report on H.R. 5025, Departments of Transportation and Treasury and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
24. Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 1308, Tax Relief, Simplification, and Equity Act of 2003
25. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act
26. Resignation as Member of Committee on Government Reform
27. Resignation as Member and Appointment of Member to Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence
28. Resignation as Chairman and Appointment of Chairman to Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence
29. Child Medication Safety Act
30. The President's Economic Policy
31. Smart Security and Elections

32. Court Ruling Upholds Barbaric and Brutal Practice of Partial-birth Abortion
33. Democracy Not Prevailing with Regard to Overtime Regulations
34. Important Victory for People of Nevada Regarding Yucca Mountain
35. Expiration of Assault Weapons Ban
36. Suicide Bombings in Israel and Syria's Harboring of Hamas
37. Local School Districts Not Receiving Federal Funding
38. Remembering September 11, 2001
39. Social Security and the Budget
40. Iraq Watch

Issues Discussed September 9, 150 Cong. Rec. H6903-98 (Daily Ed. Sept. 9, 2004).

1. Welcoming the Reverend David O. Jones
2. Saluting the Lamar Little League All-stars
3. Rise in Medicare Premiums Catastrophic Event for Seniors
4. Expressing Outrage at Increase in Medicare Premiums
5. Remembering September 11
6. Extend the Assault Weapons Ban
7. Guaranteeing a Brighter Future by Prevailing in the War on Terror
8. Introducing H.R. 5038, the American Heroes Act
9. Missing Classmates
10. Assault Weapons Ban Should Not Be Allowed to Expire
11. Rising Health Care Costs
12. Misconceptions about Iraq
13. So-called Economic Recovery
14. 9/11 Commission Recommendations
15. Bush Economic Policies Are Bad for Average Americans

16. Expressing Sense of the House on Anniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against United States on September 11, 2001
17. Moment of Silence Commemorating the 9/11 Attacks
18. Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 1308, Tax Relief, Simplification, and Equity Act of 2003
19. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act
20. Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
21. Report on H.R. 5041, Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
22. Election of Member to Committee on Agriculture and Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure
23. Restoring Freedom of Speech to America's Houses of Worship
24. Smart Security and the Global War on Terror
25. Those Who Have Borne the Battle
26. Increase in the Monthly Medicare Part B Premium
27. Status Report on Current Spending Levels of On-budget Spending and Revenues for FY 2004 and the 5-year Period FY 2005 Through FY 2009
28. Omission from the Congressional Record of Wednesday, September 8, 2004, at Page H6850

Issues Discussed September 13, 150 Cong. Rec. H6999-7074 (Daily Ed. Sept. 13, 2004).

1. Mission Accomplished for Republicans and Their Special Interests
2. The War on Terror
3. New Overtime Rules Threaten Pay Cut to Middle Class Families

4. Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Certain Terrorist Attacks--message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 108-212)
5. Expressing Grave Concern of Congress Regarding Continuing Gross Violations of Human Rights and Civil Liberties of Syrian People by Government of Syrian Arab Republic
6. Expressing Support for Freedom in Hong Kong
7. Condemning Terrorist Attacks Against Russian Federation
8. National Archives and Records Administration Efficiency Act of 2004
9. Castillo De San Marcos National Monument Preservation and Education Act
10. Availability of NOAA Real Property on Virginia Key, Florida
11. Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
12. Clarifying Boundaries of John H. Chafee Coast Barrier Resources System
13. Harpers Ferry National Historical Park Boundary Revision Act of 2004
14. Amending the Organic Act of Guam
15. Providing for Temporary Extension of Programs under Small Business Act and Small Business Investment Act of 1958
16. Expressing Gratitude to Cities of Boston, Massachusetts, and New York City, New York, for Hosting 2004 National Political Conventions
17. Oncologists Give Congress Bad News
18. U.S. Economy Is in a Mess
19. Honoring California's 2004 Olympians
20. Iraq and Domestic Violence
21. Assault Weapons Ban Expires

22. Congress Commits Shameful Act of Omission
23. Facts Speak for Themselves on Medicare Reform
24. Split Personality
25. Florida Weathers the Storms
26. H. Res. 717, Recognizing 58th Birthday of William Jefferson Clinton
27. The Republicans' Cozy Relationship with Corporate Interests
28. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4571, Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act of 2004
29. Hurricane Season
30. Iraq Watch
31. The Face of the Terrorist Foe

Issues Discussed September 14, 150 Cong. Rec. H7075-138 (Daily Ed. Sept. 14, 2005).

1. Ending Lawsuit Abuse
2. Proposing a Temporary Memorial in the Capitol Rotunda
3. Drug Impaired Driving Enforcement Act of 2004
4. Two Questions for Dan Rather
5. Support New Transportation Funding
6. Terror Attacks on Australia Will Not Deter War on Terror
7. In Support of Drug Reimportation
8. The President's Budget Record
9. EBay Part of 21st Century Economy
10. The Republicans Have Lost Their Way
11. Constitution Restoration Act Promises Freedom of Religion
12. America Needs a Leadership Transplant
13. The 150th Anniversary of the Republican Party
14. Bush Proposals
15. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4571, Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act of 2004
16. Nonprofit Athletic Organization Protection Act of 2003

17. Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act of 2004
18. Volunteer Pilot Organization Protection Act of 2004
19. Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act of 2003
20. Volunteer Pilot Organization Protection Act of 2004
21. Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
22. Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
23. The American Soldiers in Iraq
24. War on Terror
25. The President's Playbook: Denial, Disinformation, and Dodging Responsibility
26. Drought Relief
27. An American Story
28. Good Friday Peace Accords
29. Drought and Fire in Our Nation's Forests

Issues Discussed September 15, 150 Cong. Rec. H7193-235 (Daily. Ed. Sept. 15, 2004).

1. Urging the President to Speak Candidly
2. Introduction of Constitutional Amendment Allowing Naturalized Citizens to Serve as President
3. Ivan Threatens New Orleans
4. Against Matricula Consular Cards
5. Washington Results Bode Well for Democrats
6. NBC Gets Media Bias Award
7. In Praise of North Carolina Senator John Edwards
8. Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act
9. The National Debt
10. Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005

11. Amending Limitation on Amendments During Further Consideration of H.R. 5025, Departments of Transportation and Treasury and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act
12. Congress Bests Lobbyists Once Again in Charity Basketball Game
13. Expressing Thanks of the House to American POW/MIAs on National POW/MIA Recognition Day
14. Federal Disaster Help for Hurricane Victims
15. Rio Grand Forest Products in Espanola, New Mexico
16. The Greatest Danger: Iran's Pursuit of Nuclear Weapons
17. Shocking Evidence Regarding Former U.S. Presidents
18. Smart Security
19. Freedom of Speech for Our Churches
20. Shameful Medicare Increase
21. The Essence of Science
22. Tort Reform
23. Science Policy/Stem Cell Research
24. Americans Need the Right to Vote

Issues Discussed September 17, 150 Cong. Rec. H7237-45 (Daily Ed. Sept. 17, 2004)

1. The Situation in Iraq
2. House Bills and Joint Resolutions Approved by the President
3. Senate Bills and Joint Resolution Approved by the President

Issues Discussed September 21, 150 Cong. Rec. H7247-330 (Daily Ed. Sept. 21, 2004).

1. Ten Years
2. Securing the Nation's Borders
3. The Bush Medicare Bill's Dirty Laundry
4. Stenholm Debt Limit Amendment to Treasury Transportation Appropriations Bill
5. Opening of the National Museum of the American Indian
6. Media Bias
7. Opening of the National Museum of the American Indian

8. Rightful Place of Honor of the First Americans Is Realized
9. Federal Law Enforcement Training Center Training Flight Deck Officers in the Use of Firearms
10. Termination of Emergency Declared in Executive Order 12543 with Respect to Libya--message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 108-216)
11. Appointment as Member to House Library of Congress Trust Fund Board
12. Llagas Reclamation Groundwater Remediation Initiative
13. Castle Nugent Farms, St. Croix, Virgin Islands, National Park Feasibility Study
14. Right-to-Ride Livestock on Federal Lands Act of 2004
15. Riverside-Corona Feeder Authorization Act
16. Western Reserve Heritage Areas Study Act
17. Railroad Right-of-way Conveyance Validation Act of 2003
18. Intellectual Property Protection and Courts Amendments Act of 2004
19. Video Voyeurism Prevention Act of 2003
20. Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism–Message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 108-217)
21. Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005
22. Announcement of Intention to Offer Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 1308, Tax Relief, Simplification, and Equity Act of 2003
23. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2028, Pledge Protection Act of 2004
24. Unscrupulous Tactics on Military Bases
25. Three Trillion Is a Big Number
26. President Bush Visits Ohio Again

27. Degradation of the Democratic Process
28. Tennessee's Economy and Health Savings Accounts
29. Smart Security and Iraq
30. Expressing Outrage at Republican Double Standard
31. Medicare Part B Premiums to Increase 17 Percent
32. Administration Launches New Campaign
33. Record Deficits Abound
34. Our Troops in Iraq
35. Congressional Black Caucus and the Pending Election
36. Big Trouble Lies Ahead

Issues Discussed September 22, 150 Cong. Rec. H7331-7444 (Daily Ed. Sept. 22, 2004).

1. Fulfilling America's Promise
2. Democratic Partnership with the American People
3. Ten-year Anniversary of the GOP House Majority
4. Republican Party in Breach of Contract
5. Democrats Offer a Different Vision
6. Democrats Unveil New Partnership for America's Future
7. Joe Lockhart Should Leave the Kerry Campaign
8. War in Iraq Is Costing U.S. Lives and Domestic Programs
9. House Republicans: a Proud and Positive 10-year Record of Achievement
10. Support the Pledge
11. Republican Majority and Family Health Care
12. The Record of the Republican-controlled Congress
13. The Republican Party's Consistent Support for the Military
14. Snowflakes Embryo Adoption
15. The Sudan
16. Time for a New Partnership
17. To Celebrate America
18. The Republican Contract with America
19. Transportation, Treasury, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act, 2005

20. Civil War Sesquicentennial Commission Act
21. Hudson-Fulton-Champlain 400th Commemoration Commission Act of 2004
22. Supporting the Goals and Ideals of National Preparedness Month
23. Supporting the Goals and Ideals of National Long-term Care Residents' Rights Week
24. Expressing the Sense of Congress That the President Should Designate September 11 as a National Day of Voluntary Service, Charity, and Compassion
25. Recognizing Outstanding Efforts of Individuals and Communities Who Volunteered or Donated Items to North Platte Canteen During World War Ii
26. Recognizing and Honoring Military Unit Family Support Volunteers
27. Commending the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and its Employees for its Dedication and Hard Work During Hurricanes Charley and Frances
28. The Adoption Tax Relief Guarantee Act
29. Calling for the Suspension of Sudan's Membership on the United Nations Commission on Human Rights
30. Condemning Terrorist Attack in Jakarta, Indonesia, on September 9, 2004
31. Encouraging International Olympic Committee to Select New York City as Site of 2012 Olympic Games
32. Supporting Goals and Purposes of National Farm Safety and Health Week
33. Pine Springs Land Exchange Act
34. Mokelumne River Feasibility Study
35. Creating Office of Chief Financial Officer of the Government of the Virgin Islands
36. Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 1308, Tax Relief, Simplification, and Equity Act of 2003

37. President Pervez Musharraf of Pakistan to Visit Congress
38. Dust Clouds; No Rain
39. Special Tribute for American Heroes
40. A Prominent Politician's Plan for Iraq
41. War Means Sacrifice
42. Terrorism Around the World
43. Ukrainian Presidential Candidate Poisoned
44. Defending Freedom and Democracy
45. New Partnership for America's Future
46. Iraq Watch
47. Emotional Trip to Russia

Issues Discussed September 23, 150 Cong. Rec. H7445-575 (Daily Ed. Sept. 23, 2004).

1. Joint Meeting of the House and Senate to Hear an Address by His Excellency Ayad Allawi, Interim Prime Minister of the Republic of Iraq
2. Address by His Excellency Ayad Allawi, Interim Prime Minister of the Republic of Iraq
3. Partnership with America's Future
4. Misery Index Low; Prosperity Index High
5. New Blueprint for the Future
6. Success in Iraq
7. National Sales Tax Proposal Just Another Tax Cut for the Rich
8. Keeping the Promises of the Contract with America
9. The Need to Appoint House Conferees to Defense Authorization Bill
10. 215th Birthday of the U.S. Marshals Service
11. Be Afraid
12. Republican Party 150th Anniversary Celebratory Freedom Calendar
13. Wind Production Tax Credit Extension
14. Outrageous Sales Tax

15. Pledge Protection Act of 2004
16. The Adoption Tax Relief Guarantee Act
17. Conference Report on H.R. 1308, Working Families Tax Relief Act of 2004
18. Privileged Report Requesting President to Provide Certain Information to House of Representatives Respecting National Energy Policy Development Group
19. Sticking it to Working Families
20. Helping American Families
21. Need to Work in a Bipartisan Manner
22. Smart Security and Energy and Water Appropriations
23. The Constitution
24. Patents and Nanotechnology
25. Exchange of Special Order Time
26. Accepting the Truth of International Alliances
27. Nation Headed in Wrong Direction for Jobs and Economy
28. Fiscal Danger
29. Worldwide Terrorism
30. Medicare Premiums Increase Finances to Hmos and Drug Companies
31. Follow-up to Remarks Given to Congress by Iraqi Interim Prime Minister Ayad Allawi: Question to the Administration--where Is the Plan?
32. National Affordable Housing Construction Program
33. The Fair Tax
34. Elections: the U.S. and Iraq
35. Support Our Commander in Chief and Troops

Issues Discussed September 24, 150 Cong. Rec. H7577-80 (Daily Ed. Sept. 24, 2004).

1. Memorials

Issues Discussed September 28, 150 Cong. Rec. H7581-736 (Daily Ed. Sept. 28, 2004).

1. Clean Water and Sanitation Resolution

2. Hard Challenges Facing the Nation
3. Buyout and FDA
4. Iraqi Elections must Go Forward
5. Little Safety in Baghdad
6. Free Elections for Iraq
7. Disarray on Iraq
8. Remembering New Mexico's War Dead
9. Applauding Congressional Conference on Civic Education
10. Reports Discovered on Iraq
11. Poll Finds Media Bias
12. Health Care Costs
13. Freedom of Speech in the Pulpit
14. Revising and Extending Boys and Girls Clubs of America
15. Title 46 Codification Act of 2004
16. Piracy Deterrence and Education Act of 2004
17. Expressing Continued Support for Construction of Victims of Communism Memorial
18. Rancho El Cajon Boundary Reconciliation Act
19. Chickasaw National Recreation Area Land Exchange Act of 2004
20. Angel Island Immigration Station Restoration and Preservation Act
21. Truman Farm Home Expansion Act
22. Eastern Washington University Land Transfer Authorization Extension
23. Gullah/geechee Cultural Heritage Act
24. Land Exchange Involving Private and Public Land in Vicinity of Holloman Air Force Base, New Mexico
25. Hibben Center Act
26. Manhattan Project National Historical Park Study Act
27. El Camino Real De Los Tejas National Historic Trail Act
28. Trail Responsibility and Accountability for the Improvement of Lands Act

29. Small Tracts Act Amendments
30. Mcinnis Canyons National Conservation Area
31. Healthy Forest Youth Conservation Corps Act of 2004
32. New Hope Cemetery Association Land Conveyance
33. Craig Recreation Land Purchase Act
34. Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Land Exchange Act of 2004
35. Little Butte/bear Creek Subbasins Water Feasibility Act
36. Authorizing Feasibility Study on Alder Creek Water Storage and Conservation Project
37. Southern California Groundwater Remediation Act
38. Montana Water Contracts Extension Act of 2004
39. Ainsworth Unit, Nebraska Water Contract Extension
40. Lake Nighthorse Redesignation Act
41. Recognizing 60th Anniversary of Battle of Peleliu
42. Recognizing 60th Anniversary of Liberation of Guam During World War Ii
43. Colorado River Indian Reservation Boundary Correction Act
44. Brown Tree Snake Control and Eradication Act of 2004
45. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4200, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
46. Authorizing Printing of Commemorative Document in Memory of President Ronald Wilson Reagan
47. Amending Congressional Accountability Act to Permit Second Term for Board of Directors of Office of Compliance
48. Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 4200, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
49. Revising and Extending Boys and Girls Clubs of America
50. Commending Resiliency of People of the State of Florida and Work of Individuals Who Assisted with Recovery Efforts after Hurricanes Charley, Frances, and Ivan

51. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.j. Res. 106, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States Relating to Marriage
52. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.j. Res. 107, Making Continuing Appropriations for the Fiscal Year 2005
53. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 3193, District of Columbia Personal Protection Act
54. District of Columbia Retirement Protection Improvement Act of 2004
55. Expressing the Sense of Congress Regarding the Importance of Life Insurance, and Recognizing and Supporting National Life Insurance Awareness Month
56. Assault Weapons Ban
57. Prosecuting Global War on Terror
58. Threats Made by Azerbaijan Against Armenia
59. Translation Backlog
60. Smart Security and Iraq
61. Exchange of Special Order
62. War on Terror
63. Medicare
64. 9/11 Commission Recommendations
65. Iraq

Issues Discussed September 29, 150 Cong. Rec. H 7737-864 (Daily Ed. Sept. 29, 2004).

1. The War on Terror
2. The Situation in Iraq Is Getting Worse
3. Recognizing the Century Council and Nickelodeon
4. The War in Iraq
5. In Support of the District of Columbia Personal Protection Act
6. Consistently Wrong on Iraq
7. Indonesia Holds First National Presidential Election

8. Provide Adequate Humanitarian Assistance to the Caribbean
9. Marking 150th Anniversary of Founding of Republican Party
10. America's Priorities in Suspended Animation
11. Opposition to Relaxing Gun Control Laws in the District of Columbia
12. Administration Unhinged from Reality
13. America Not Being Made Safer
14. Providing for Consideration of H.j. Res. 107, Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2005
15. Stand up for the Sanctity of Marriage
16. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4520, American Jobs Creation Act of 2004
17. District of Columbia Personal Protection Act
18. Motion to Instruct Conferees on H.R. 4520, American Jobs Creation Act of 2004
19. Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2005
20. Welfare Reform Extension Act, Part VIII
21. Veterans Health Programs and Facilities Enhancement Act of 2004
22. Department of Veterans Affairs Nurse Recruitment and Retention Act of 2004
23. National Estuary Program Reauthorization
24. Authorizing Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution to Carry out Construction and Related Activities in Support of Veritas on Kitt Peak
25. Encouraging Progress in Iraq
26. Smart Security and Iraq
27. The Judges of Madison County
28. The Need for More Research and Management of Risk of Accutane
29. Suppressing the Cost Estimate
30. Important Strategies for Fighting the War on Terror
31. The National Economy

32. Iraq Watch

Issues Discussed September 30, 150 Cong. Rec. H7865-945 (Daily Ed. Sept. 30, 2004).

1. Hope in Iraq
2. America Needs Commander in Chief, Not Cheerleader in Chief
3. Marriage Protection Amendment
4. Ruben Martinez Awarded MacArthur Fellowship
5. Global Warming
6. Cheney Had it Right First Time
7. Historic Meeting Between India and Pakistan Leaders Offers Hope
8. Tonight's Presidential Debate
9. Drought Relief
10. Iraq
11. Surface Transportation Extension Act of 2004, Part V
12. Welfare Reform Extension Act, Part Viii
13. Department of Veterans Affairs Nurse Recruitment and Retention Act of 2004
14. Announcement by Committee on Rules Regarding Amendments to S. 878, Additional Permanent Judgeship in the District of Idaho
15. Global Warming
16. Smart Security and Global Change
17. Judges of Madison County, Part 2
18. Accutane's Impact on Brain
19. Truth about Iraq
20. 9/11 Commission Legislation

Issues Discussed October 4, 150 Cong. Rec. H7947-8039 (Daily Ed. Oct. 4, 2004).

1. H.R. 10 Will Improve Homeland Security
2. Appointment to Commission on Abraham Lincoln Study Abroad Fellowship Program

3. Appointment as Members to Commission on Systemic Interoperability
4. Reappointment to Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance for 3-year Term
5. Petrified Forest National Park Expansion Act of 2004
6. Taunton, Massachusetts Special Resources Study Act
7. Resolution of Boundary Encroachment on Land of Union Pacific Railroad Company in Tipton, California
8. Recognizing That November 2, 2003, Shall Be Dedicated to ``A Tribute to Survivors'' at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
9. Tapoco Project Licensing Act of 2004
10. Edward H. Mcdaniel American Legion Post No. 22 Land Conveyance Act
11. Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004
12. Authorizing Secretary of the Interior to Participate in Brownsville Public Utility Board Water Recycling and Desalinization Project
13. Provo River Project Transfer Act
14. Authorizing Secretary of the Interior for Construction of Lower Santa Margarita Conjunctive Use Project
15. Conveyance of Certain Land Held in Trust for the Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah to the City of Richfield, Ut
16. Alaska Native Allotment Subdivision Act
17. Noxious Weed Control and Eradication Act of 2004
18. Transferring Federal Lands Between Secretary of Agriculture and Secretary of Interior
19. Southern Ute and Colorado Intergovernmental Agreement Implementation Act of 2003
20. North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004

21. Urging Government of Ukraine to Ensure Democratic, Transparent, and Fair Elections Process for Presidential Election on October 31, 2004
22. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of S. 878, Creating Additional Federal Court Judgeships
23. Belarus Democracy Act of 2004
24. Expressing Sense of Congress Regarding Oppression by China of Falun Gong in United States and China
25. Sense of Congress Regarding Humanitarian Assistance to Countries of Caribbean Devastated by Hurricanes Charley, Frances, Ivan, and Jeanne
26. The Judges of Madison County, Part Three
27. Smart Security and Disabled Veterans
28. Stem Cell Research
29. Great Victory for Farm Labor Organizing Committee in Reaching Labor Agreement
30. U.S. Foreign Policy Plagued with Attention Deficit Disorder
31. The Truth about the Medicare Modernization Act
32. The National Debt
33. To Cast Aside a Friend
34. Iraq Watch

Issues Discussed October 5, 150 Cong. Rec. H8041-170 (Daily Ed. Oct. 5, 2004).

1. The Global Test Is a Miserable Failure
2. In November, Americans Have a Chance to Trade George Bush
3. Help Promote Healthy Lifestyles in America
4. Republican House Bribery
5. President Bush Is the Right Leader in the War on Terror
6. Health Care Costs
7. Lost Public Trust
8. Crystal-clear Choices

9. 150th Anniversary of Founding of Republican Party
10. Are You Better Off--health Care
11. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4850, District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005
12. Creating Additional Federal Court Judgeships
13. Recognizing Spirit of Jacob Mock Doub and Expressing Sense of Congress That ``National Take a Kid Mountain Biking Day" Should Be Established in Jacob Mock Doub's Honor
14. Patient Navigator Outreach and Chronic Disease Prevention Act of 2004
15. National All Schedules Prescription Electronic Reporting Act of 2004
16. Pancreatic Islet Cell Transplantation Act of 2004
17. Asthmatic Schoolchildren's Treatment and Health Management Act of 2004
18. Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2004
19. Securely Protect Yourself Against Cyber Trespass Act
20. Recognizing Community Organization of Public Access Defibrillation Programs
21. Expressing Sense of Congress That Private Health Insurance Companies Should Take a Proactive Role in Promoting Healthy Lifestyles
22. Safe and Timely Interstate Placement of Foster Children Act of 2004
23. Sense of Congress Recognizing Contributions of Seven *Columbia* Astronauts
24. Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act
25. Confirming Authority of Secretary of Agriculture and Commodity Credit Corporation to Enter into Memorandums of Understanding Regarding Collection of Approved Commodity Assessments from Proceeds of Marketing Assistance Loans

26. Providing for National Plan for Control and Management of Sudden Oak Death
27. Pennsylvania National Forest Improvement Act of 2004
28. Universal National Service Act of 2003
29. Agricultural Adjustment Act Amendment
30. Expressing Support of House for Organizations Providing Emergency Food Assistance
31. Recognizing the Establishment of Hunters for the Hungry Programs Across the U.S.
32. Amending the Department of Agriculture Organic Act of 1944 to Ensure That Dependents of Employees of the Forest Service Stationed in Puerto Rico Receive High-quality Elementary and Secondary Education
33. Authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to Sell or Exchange Certain Administrative Sites in the Ozark-St. Francis and Ouachita National Forests
34. Providing for the Use by the State of North Carolina of Federal Lands at the Oxford Research Station in Granville County, North Carolina
35. Health Care
36. Democrat Nominee for President Continues to Debate with Himself
37. Health Care
38. Social Security
39. Conference Report on H.R. 4850, District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005
40. Pandora's Box
41. Link Between Saddam Hussein and Attack on United States
42. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5212, Emergency Supplemental Appropriations, Fiscal Year 2005, for Additional Disaster Assistance Relating to Storm Damage

43. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5107, Justice for All Act of 2004
Issues Discussed October 6, 150 Cong. Rec. H8171-8410 (Daily Ed. Oct. 6, 2004).
1. Ensuring Fair and Free Elections in Belarus
2. Congratulating Senator John Edwards for Successful Debate
3. Kerry Does Not Get it on Iraq
4. Administration must Admit Mistakes
5. President Bush Has a Record of Leadership
6. Now Is Not the Time to Cut Veterans' Benefits
7. Republican Rhetoric Does Not Match Reality
8. Failing Economic Health of Our Nation
9. 150th Anniversary of the Republican Party
10. Large Civil Aircraft Agreement
11. Are We Better off
12. Bad Memory
13. The Right Thing to Do
14. Aid for Haiti
15. Florida Voter Suppression
16. Mental Health Awareness Week
17. Disaster Relief
18. Iraqi Arms Threat
19. Ready for Change
20. Justice for All Act of 2004
21. Conference Report on H.R. 4850, District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005
22. Satellite Home Viewer Extension and Reauthorization Act of 2004
23. Water Supply, Reliability, and Environmental Improvement Act
24. Improvements to Employment Verification System under Immigration and Nationality Act
25. Access to Rural Physicians Improvement Act of 2004

26. Mentally Ill Offender Treatment and Crime Reduction Act of 2004
27. Extending Authority of Supreme Court Police, Modifying Venue of Prosecutions Relating to Supreme Court Building and Grounds, and Authorizing Acceptance of Gifts to United States Supreme Court
28. 40th Anniversary of Sixteenth Street Baptist Church Bombing
29. Internet Spyware (I-Spy) Prevention Act of 2004
30. Amending Section 340e of Public Health Service Act Relating to Children's Hospitals
31. Research Review Act of 2004
32. District of Columbia Mental Health Civil Commitment Modernization Act of 2004
33. Federal Workforce Flexibility Act of 2003
34. Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Hurricane Disasters Assistance Act, 2005
35. Special Olympics Sport and Empowerment Act of 2004
36. Higher Education Extension Act of 2004
37. Taxpayer-teacher Protection Act of 2004
38. Supporting Efforts to Promote Awareness of Effective Runaway Youth Prevention Programs
39. Sense of Congress Regarding Student Travel
40. Lights on Afterschool
41. Amending Congressional Accountability Act to Permit Second Term for Board of Directors of Office of Compliance
42. Recognizing and Supporting Efforts to Promote Greater Civic Awareness among People of United States
43. Lake Pontchartrain Restoration Program Authorization
44. Tijuana River Valley Estuary and Beach Sewage Cleanup Act of 2000 Amendment
45. Norman Y. Mineta Research and Special Programs Improvement Act

46. Economic Development Administration Reauthorization Act of 2004
47. Amending the Lease Lot Conveyance Act of 2002 to Provide That Amounts Received by the United States under That Act Shall Be Deposited in the Reclamation Fund
48. Chimayo Water Supply System and Espanola Filtration Facility Act of 2004
49. National Park System Laws Technical Amendments Act of 2004
50. Northern Rio Grande National Heritage Area Act
51. American Indian Probate Reform Act of 2004
52. Congratulating Mojave Aerospace Venture for Winning the Ansari X Prize
53. Specialty Crops Competitiveness Act of 2004
54. Homeless Veterans Assistance Act of 2004
55. Servicemembers and Veterans Legal Protections Act of 2004
56. Congratulating and Commending the Veterans of Foreign Wars
57. Expressing Sense of Congress That a Minute of Silence Should Be Observed Annually on Veterans Day
58. Comprehensive Peace in Sudan Act
59. Celebrating 50th Anniversary of Falcon International Dam
60. Condemning Abduction of Dylan Benwell
61. Calling on the United Nations Security Council to Immediately Consider and Take Appropriate Action
62. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 10, 9/11 Recommendations Implementation Act

Issues Discussed October 7, 150 Cong. Rec. H8411-859 (Daily Ed. Oct. 7, 2004).

1. Suing Their Way to the White House
2. Bad Choices Make America less Safe
3. Troops Vote for Bush

4. Recognizing National Mental Illness Awareness Week
5. Border Security Infrastructure
6. Homeland Security Should Bring Unity in House
7. Americans Misled
8. Change Is Needed
9. CBS' Media Bias
10. The Truth Will Set You Free
11. Day of Reckoning
12. Sugar Reform Caucus
13. Weapons of Mass Destruction Report
14. Administration must Admit Mistakes
15. Times When War Is the Only Option
16. Sanctioning Iran
17. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4567, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
18. Internet Spyware (I-Spy) Prevention Act of 2004
19. Research Review Act of 2004
20. Taxpayer-teacher Protection Act of 2004
21. Privileged Report on H. Res. 776, Inquiry Requesting the President and Directing Secretary of Health and Human Services Provide Certain Documents Relating to Estimates and Analyses of Cost of Medicare Prescription Drug Legislation
22. Conference Report on H.R. 4520, American Jobs Creation Act of 2004
23. Economic Development Administration Reauthorization Act of 2004
24. Comprehensive Peace in Sudan Act
25. 9/11 Recommendations Implementation Act
26. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4837, Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005
27. Appointment as Member to Commission on International Religious Freedom
28. Honoring the Fallen of the USS ``Cole"

Issues Discussed October 8, 150 Cong. Rec. H8861-9683 (Daily Ed. Oct. 8, 2004).

1. Unethical Republican House
2. Our Terrorist Enemies Are Afoot
3. Fog of War Has Set in
4. John Kerry's Handout to the Rich
5. Ethical Cloud over House Grows Darker
6. Arkansas National Guard Celebrates 200th Anniversary
7. Experts Prove Hussein Was a Threat
8. Change Is Coming
9. 9/11 Recommendations Implementation Act
10. Conference Report on H.R. 4200, Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
11. Motion to Instruct Conferees on S. 2845, National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
12. Privileges of the House--Special Counsel to Investigate Actions of Republican Majority Leader
13. Authorizing Illumination of Gateway Arch in Honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month
14. Fort Donelson National Battlefield Expansion Act of 2004
15. State Justice Institute Reauthorization Act of 2004
16. Prevention of Child Abduction Partnership Act
17. Anabolic Steroid Control Act of 2004
18. Federal Regulatory Improvement Act of 2004
19. Family Farmer Bankruptcy Relief Act of 2004
20. Assistive Technology Act of 2004
21. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 1350, Improving Education Results for Children with Disabilities Act of 2003
22. Extending Liability Indemnification Regime for Commercial Space Transportation Industry
23. National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program Reauthorization Act of 2004

24. Amending the Securities Laws to Permit Church Pension Plans to Be Invested in Collective Trusts
25. Privileged Report Requesting the President and the Secretary of Health and Human Services Provide Certain Documents Relating to the Medicare Prescription Drug Legislation
26. Modifying and Extending Certain Privatization Requirements of the Communications Satellite Act of 1962
27. John F. Kennedy Center Reauthorization Act of 2004
28. Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-living Adjustment Act of 2004
29. Global Anti-Semitism Review Act of 2004
30. Resolution of the Ethiopia-Eritrea Border Dispute Act of 2003
31. Conference Report on H.R. 1047, Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2004
32. Federal Employees Dental and Vision Benefits Enhancement Act of 2004
33. Memorials

Issues Discussed October 9, 150 Cong. Rec. H9053-9186 (Daily Ed. Oct. 9, 2004).

1. President Bush Promotes Job Growth
2. New Economic Policy for America
3. President Fated to Strike out
4. Many Disappointed with President's Use of Power
5. Republicans Strip Hate Crime Prevention Provisions from Defense Authorization Bill
6. Senator Kerry Stumbles Badly on Stem Cells Research
7. Pretty Pathetic
8. Conference Report on H.R. 4837, Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005
9. Conference Report on H.R. 4567, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005

10. Conference Report on H.R. 4200, Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
11. Correcting Enrollment of H.R. 5107, Justice for All Act of 2004
12. Smart Security and the ``Backdoor Draft"
13. Judicial Activism
14. Elections in Afghanistan
15. Remembering Those Defending America's Freedom

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Issues Discussed September 7, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S8811-8924 (daily ed. Sept. 7, 2004).

1. Making the 9/11 Commission's Recommendations Law
2. Passing an Energy Bill
3. Emergency Appropriations for Florida
4. Network Coverage of Conventions
5. Energy Policy
6. The Deficit
7. Committee on Present Danger
8. Ravages of Tropical Storm Gaston on Virginia
9. Nomination of Michael H. Watson to Be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Ohio
10. Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2004
11. Unanimous-Consent Agreement, H.R. 4567
12. MADD
13. The Right Course for the Economy
14. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003

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*. The 2004 federal election occurred on November 2nd. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 3rd. The following issues were considered on the floor of the Senate during that time. This list excludes renaming of buildings and recognizing honored individuals and groups, and extensions of remarks.

15. Passage of U.S.-Australia Free Trade Agreement Act
16. Resolve, the National Infertility Association
17. Preliminary Report of the U.S. Commission on Ocean Policy
18. Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act
19. North American Exploration
20. Notification of the President's Intention to Designate Iraq as a Beneficiary Developing Country for Purposes of the Generalized System of Preferences, Pm 92
21. Foreign Travel Financial Reports
22. Authorization to Sign Bills and Resolutions
23. Measure Read the First Time, S. 2774
24. Appointment
25. Nominations
26. Confirmations

Issues Discussed September 8, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S8925-8975 (Daily Ed. Sept. 8, 2004).

1. Sacrifices of Our Military Men and Women
2. Assault Weapons Ban to Expire
3. Iraq
4. Congressional Budget Office September Update
5. Reimportation of Drugs
6. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
7. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
8. 2004 Olympic Games
9. Supplemental Appropriations Bill
10. The Benigno Family and Brain Injury Research
11. American Legion of Osage, Ia
12. Measure Placed on Calendar, S. 2774
13. Nominations

Issues Discussed September 9, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S8977-9045 (Daily Ed. Sept. 9, 2004).

1. Reform of the Intelligence Community

2. Homeland Security Appropriations
3. Concerns in South Dakota
4. Highway Legislation
5. Flip-flopping
6. Sales Tax
7. FSC/ETI Jobs Conference
8. Sales Tax Deductibility
9. Conclusion of Morning Business
10. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
11. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act
12. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
13. War on Proliferation
14. Back to School and the No Child Left Behind Act
15. Global Health and Protection Against Bioterror Attacks
16. Green Mountain Audubon Nature Center
17. Expressing Outrage at the Terrorist Atrocities in Beslan, Russia
18. Authorizing President to Award Gold Medal to Martin Luther King and Widow Coretta Scott King
19. Sports Agent Responsibility and Trust Act Issues Discussed September 10, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9047-9097 (Daily Ed. Sept. 10, 2004).
1. Reflecting on September 11, 2001
2. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
3. The Administration's Incompetence on Iraq
4. Health Care
5. Taxation of High-Speed Internet Access
6. Time Is Running Short
7. Pharmaceutical Market Access and Drug Safety Act of 2004
8. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act
9. Report Relative to the Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Certain Terrorist Attacks, Pm 93

10. Garrett Lee Smith Memorial Act
11. Designating September 11 as a National Day of Voluntary Service, Charity, and Compassion
12. Conveyance of the Real Property Located at 1081 West Main Street in Ravenna, Ohio
13. Nominations

Issues Discussed September 13, 2004. 150 Cong. Rec. S9099-9154 (Daily Ed. Sept. 13, 2004).

1. Medical Liability Reform
2. Intelligence Reform
3. Emergency Assistance for FEMA
4. Assault Weapons Ban
5. Intelligence Reform, Iii
6. Failed Policy in Iraq
7. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
8. John Kerry's Health Care Plan
9. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
10. Budget Scorekeeping Report
11. Nurse-managed Clinics Vital to Va
12. Soldiers and NASCAR
13. Appointment
14. Nominations

Issues Discussed September 14, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9155-9240 (Daily Ed. Sept. 14, 2004).

1. Rosh Hashanah and Anti-Semitism
2. Reimportation of Prescription Drugs
3. Escalating Costs of Medicare
4. The Federal Government must Keep its Education Promises
5. Health Care in America
6. Anti-Jewish Sentiment in Europe
7. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
8. Recess
9. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003

10. Hungarian Gold Train
11. Unanimous Consent Agreement, S. 2674
12. Order to Request Return of Papers, S. 2261

Issues Discussed September 15, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9241-9361 (Daily Ed. Sept. 15, 2004).

1. Appropriations and Intelligence Reform
2. Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005
3. Morning Business
4. Continuing the Fight Against Anti-Semitism
5. Violence Against Women Act
6. Rosh Hashanah and Hope
7. Lack of Direction
8. Legitimacy of News Stories
9. Land and Water Conservation Fund
10. Energy
11. Conservation Royalties
12. Squeeze on Middle-income Families
13. The Economy
14. Need for Energy Legislation
15. Homeland Security Appropriations
16. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
17. American Youth Philharmonic Orchestra
18. Federal Trade Commission Reauthorization Act
19. Republican High Tech Task Force
20. Employment Opportunities for Native People
21. Funding for Hurricane Damage
22. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005
23. Calling for the Suspension of Sudan's Membership on the U.N. Commission on Human Rights
24. Unanimous Consent Agreement, S. 2666
25. Federal Trade Commission Reauthorization Act of 2003

26. Implementation of Fish Passage and Screening Facilities at Non-federal Water Projects
27. Wallowa Lake Dam Rehabilitation and Water Management Act of 2004
28. Alaska Native Allotment Subdivision Act
29. Southwest Forest Health and Wildfire Prevention Act of 2004
30. Arch Hurley Conservancy District Water Conservation Project Feasibility Study
31. Valles Caldera Preservation Act of 2004
32. Manhattan Project National Historical Park Study Act
33. Craig Recreation Land Purchase Act
34. Lease Lot Conveyance Act of 2002 Amendments
35. Johnstown Flood National Memorial Boundary Adjustment Act of 2003
36. Extension of the Term of Forest Counties Payments Committees
37. Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Land Exchange Act of 2004
38. Extension of the Deadline for Construction to Commence on a Hydroelectric Project in Alaska
39. Carpinteria and Montecito Water Distribution Systems Conveyance of 2003
40. Williamson County Water Recycling Act of 2003
41. Amendment to the Reclamation Project Authorization Act of 1972
42. National Aviation Heritage Area Act
43. Northern Rio Grande National Heritage Area Act
44. Atchafalaya National Heritage Area Act
45. Kate Mullany National Historic Site Act
46. Additional Appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978

47. United States-Mexico Trans-boundary Aquifer Assessment Act
48. Land Exchange in Everglades National Park
49. Tapoco Project Licensing Act of 2004
50. Frannie, Wyoming Land Conveyance
51. Rio Grande Natural Area Act
52. Edward H. Mcdaniel American Legion Post No. 22 Land Conveyance Act
53. Railroad Right-of-way Conveyance Validation Act of 2003
54. Big Horn Bentonite Act
55. Federal Land Recreational Visitor Protection Act of 2004
56. El Camino Real De Los Tejas National Historic Trail Act
57. Lewis and Clark National Historical Park Act of 2004
58. Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site Trust Act of 2004
59. Conveyance to Beaver County, Utah
60. Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
61. New Mexico Water Planning Assistance Act
62. Lake Nighthorse
63. Chimayo Water Supply System and Espanola Filtration Facility Act of 2004
64. National Heritage Partnership Act
65. Mount Rainier National Park Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
66. Amendments to the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992
67. Martin Luther King, Jr., National Historic Site Land Exchange Act
68. Timucuan Ecological and Historic Preserve Boundary Revision Act of 2004

69. California Water Security and Environmental Enhancement Act
70. Nominations

Issues Discussed September 20, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9365-9394 (Daily Ed. Sept. 20, 2004).

1. The Federal Judiciary
2. Hurricane Ivan
3. One Shot Antelope Hunt
4. Celebrating the Constitution
5. Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005
6. Implementation of Accountability Provisions for Students with Special Needs
7. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
8. Opening of the National Museum of the American Indian
9. Submitting Changes to 302(a) Allocations
10. Apology to the Boston Globe
11. Alzheimer's Disease
12. Marine Corps Air Station Miramar: Top Marine Corps Installation
13. Executive Order That Terminates the Emergency Declared in Executive Order 12543 with Respect to the Policies and Actions of the Government of Libya and Revokes Related Executive Orders, Pm 94
14. Edward H. Mcdaniel American Legion Post No. 22 Land Conveyance Act
15. Lewis and Clark National Park Act of 2004
16. Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
17. Order to Request for Return of Papers, H.R. 4567
18. Appointments
19. Nomination Placed on Calendar, PN-1267
20. Nominations
21. Confirmations

Issues Discussed September 21, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9395-9469 (Daily Ed. Sept. 21, 2004).

1. Intelligence Reform
2. Asbestos Exposure
3. Native American Museum
4. Senator Kerry's Iraq Plan
5. Widening of the Income Gap
6. Instability in Iraq
7. President Bush's Accomplishments
8. The Economy
9. Medicare Premium Increase
10. Iraq
11. Charitable Giving Act
12. Unanimous Consent Request, H.R. 1261
13. Ugliness of American Politics
14. Voting in America
15. Apology to the People of South Dakota
16. Three Major Hurricanes in Florida
17. The Situation in Russia: Back in the USSR
18. No Plan for Iraq
19. Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2005
20. Election Contest
21. Guiding Principles for Intelligence Reform
22. Caution in Post-9/11 Commission Era
23. Intelligence System
24. Roadblock to Progress
25. Peace in Sudan
26. Remarks to the Council on Foreign Relations
27. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
28. West Virginia's 2004 Angels in Adoption
29. Supporting Children in Crisis
30. Endorsement of the Public Safety Officers' Defense Act
31. The Air Force Academy Drum and Bugle Corps

32. Beale Air Force Base: Air Force Excellence
33. Report Declaring the Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Persons to Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism, Pm 95
34. Maritime Transportation Security Act of 2004
35. Unanimous Consent Agreement, H.R. 1350
36. Nominations

Issues Discussed September 22, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9471-9538 (Daily Ed. Sept. 22, 2004).

1. Nomination of Porter Goss to Be CIA Director
2. Intelligence Deliberations
3. The Skyrocketing Cost of Health Care
4. The United Nations
5. Iraq
6. Hurricane Devastation
7. Intelligence Reform and the War on Terrorism
8. Education Funding
9. Student Loan Scandal
10. The Economy
11. The Tax Bill
12. Lobbying about Medicare
13. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
14. Security for Supreme Court Justices
15. Rotterdam Convention on Prior Informed Consent
16. Lanham Act Clarification
17. Missouri River Drought Conservation Plan
18. Jumpstart Our Business Strength Act
19. Unanimous-consent Request, S. 2273
20. District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005
21. Measure Read the First Time, S. 2830
22. Responding to Conditions in Burma under the Illegitimate Rule of the State Peace and Development Council
23. Measure Placed on the Calendar, S. 2823

24. Orders for Thursday, September 23, 2004
25. Confirmation

Issues Discussed September 23, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9599-9656, S9539-9597 (Daily Ed. Sept. 23, 2004).

1. Need to Vote on Reimportation
2. Health Care
3. ``Illegal" War and the Rule of Law
4. America Has a Strong Ally in Iraq
5. Health Care in America
6. Staying the Course in Iraq
7. Hurricane Damage in Florida
8. Miguel Angel Rodriguez, New OAS Secretary General
9. News Conference with President Bush and Prime Minister Allawi
10. Iraq
11. Foreign Operations Amendments
12. Ohio Flooding
13. Intelligence Reform
14. Alternative Energy Tax Credits
15. High Energy Prices and the Strategic Petroleum Reserve
16. Unanimous-consent Agreement, H.R. 4818
17. Working Families Tax Relief Act of 2004, Conference Report
18. Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2005
19. Nominations
20. Prime Minister Ayad Allawi's Speech
21. National Museum of the American Indian
22. Stennis Fellows Program
23. Nomination of the Honorable Porter Goss to Be Director of Central Intelligence
24. District of Columbia Appropriations
25. Stem Cell Research

26. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
27. Disaster Assistance
28. Greater Civic Awareness
29. John Heinz Senate Fellowship Program
30. Expressing the Sense of Congress in Support of the Ongoing Work of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
31. Recognizing That Prevention of Suicide Is a Compelling National Priority
32. Amending the Stevenson-Wydler Technology Innovation Act of 1980
33. Comprehensive Peace in Sudan Act of 2004
34. Measures Read the First Time, S. 2844 and S. 2845
35. Measure Placed on the Calendar, S. 2830
36. Unanimous Consent Agreement, S. 2845

Issues Discussed September 24, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9657-9690 (Daily Ed. Sept. 24, 2004).

1. Trade
2. International Trade
3. Iraq
4. Secret Holds
5. The Administration Policy in Iraq
6. North Korea Human Rights Act
7. Help the Victims of Agricultural Natural Disasters
8. Status of the Transportation Bill
9. Homeland Security Needs a Green Light, Not a Blue Slip
10. Working Families Tax Relief Act
11. Foreign Operations Appropriations
12. Continuing Care for Recovering Families Act
13. Keep Our Promise
14. Release of Yaser Hamdi
15. Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 2005
16. District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2005

17. Measures Placed on the Calendar, S. 2844 and S. 2845
Issues Discussed September 27, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9691-9759 (Daily Ed. Sept. 27, 2004).
1. A Time for Accomplishments
2. North Platte Canteen in North Platte, Nebraska
3. Order of Procedure
4. Reservation of Leader Time
5. Morning Business
6. Health Care in America
7. Florida's Hurricanes
8. Health Care
9. Iraq
10. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
11. Security for Justices, S. 2742
12. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
13. Foreign Operations Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2005
14. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004, Continued
Issues Discussed September 28, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9761-9866 (Daily Ed. Sept. 28, 2004).
1. Intelligence Reform and Schedule
2. Ensuring a Strong Farm Credit System
3. Intelligence Reform
4. Welfare Reform
5. Four-part Presidential Plan for Iraq
6. Senator Kerry and America's Challenges
7. Thirteen Reasons Why We Are Not Safer
8. Challenges Facing America
9. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
10. North Korean Human Rights Act of 2004
11. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
12. Ofheo's Investigation of Fannie Mae
13. Boys & Girls Club of America Reauthorization

14. Agriculture Disaster Funding
15. Walter S. Smith, Jr., Chief United States District Judge
16. Coastal Barrier Resources
17. Reauthorization of the Tropical Forest Conservation Act of 1998
18. Measures Read the First Time, S. 2852,-H.R. 1084, and H.R. 1787
19. Supreme Court Authorization
20. Measure Referred, H.R. 3428
21. Confirmations

Issues Discussed September 29, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9867-9994 (Daily Ed. Sept. 29, 2004).

1. Intelligence Reform
2. Our Responsibility to America's Heroes
3. Policy in Iraq
4. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
5. Special Olympics Sport and Empowerment Act of 2004
6. In Recognition of His Excellency H.E. Bader Omar Al-Dafa, Ambassador of Qatar to the United States
7. Measures Placed on the Calendar, S. 2852, H.R. 1084, and H.R. 1787
8. Measure Read the First Time, S. 2866
9. Tax Treatment of Bonds and Other Obligations Issued by the Government of American Samoa
10. Reauthorization of the Congressional Award Act
11. Department of Homeland Security Financial Accountability Act
12. Binding Arbitration for Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation Contracts
13. Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act of 2003
14. Making Continuing Appropriations for the Fiscal Year 2005

15. Reauthorizing Native American Programs Act of 1974
Issues Discussed September 30, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S9995-10194 (Daily Ed. Sept. 30, 2004).
1. Completing the Intelligence Reform Legislation
2. Farm Support Programs
3. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
4. Iraq, Shifting Rationale
5. Ohio Flooding
6. Commercial Space Launch Act
7. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
8. His Excellency Bader Omar Al-dafa, Ambassador of Qatar to the United States
9. A Real Threat to Satellite Television Service
10. Student Loan Abuse Prevention Act
11. Welfare Reform Extension Act, Part Viii
12. To Provide an Extension of Highway, Highway Safety, Motor Carrier Safety, Transit, and Other Programs Funded out of the Highway Trust Fund Pending Enactment of a Law Reauthorizing the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century
13. Transportation Reauthorization Bill
14. Measures Read the First Time, H.R. 4596 and H.R. 4606
15. Measure Placed on the Calendar, S. 2866
16. Amendment to Safe Drinking Water Act
17. Limitations and Extension for Certain Coastal Wetland Conservation Projects
18. Amending Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956
19. Improving Access to Assistive Technology for Individuals with Disabilities Act of 2004
20. State Justice Institute Reauthorization Act of 2004
21. Measure Placed on the Calender, S. Res. 360
22. Confirmations

Issues Discussed October 1, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10195-10287 (Daily Ed. Oct. 1, 2004).

1. Darfur
2. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
3. Abuse of Foreign Detainees
4. Children's Health Protection and Improvement Act of 2004
5. National Museum of the American Indian
6. Appointment
7. Missing Child Cold Case Review Act of 2004
8. Permitting Church Pension Plans to Be Invested in Collective Trusts
9. Rail Security Act of 2004
10. Public Transportation Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004
11. Confirmation

Issues Discussed October 4, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10289-10379 (Daily Ed. Oct. 4, 2004).

1. Kyoto Protocol
2. Aftermath of Florida Hurricanes
3. Lance Armstrong, a Positive Role Model
4. The Presidential Debates
5. Senator Kerry's Global Test
6. Fighting the War on Terrorism
7. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
8. He Sapa Wacipi
9. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
10. Chip Protection and Improvement Act
11. Assistive Technology Act of 2004
12. Appointment
13. Amending the Congressional Accountability Act of 1995
14. Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2004

Issues Discussed October 5, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10381-10468 (Daily Ed. Oct. 5, 2004).

1. Congressional Intelligence Reform
2. Iraq
3. Intelligence Reform
4. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
5. Improved Nutrition and Physical Activity
6. Presidential Debates
7. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
8. Recess
9. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
10. Notice of Motion to Suspend
11. Mongolia and Burma
12. NAFTA Injury Panel Decision
13. Statement of Intention on S..2796
14. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
15. Grant Dollars at EPA
16. Voting Integrity and Verification Act
17. Progress on TAA
18. Oral Health and Older Americans
19. New Jersey Alliance for Action
20. Veterans' History Project
21. Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-living Adjustment Act of 2004
22. Gateway Arch Illumination in Honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month
23. Modification and Extension of Certain Privatization Requirements
24. Expenditures for Visitors Center at Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site
25. Protecting Older Americans from Fraud Month
26. Department of Veterans Affairs Health Care Personnel Enhancement Act of 2004
27. Nominations

Issues Discussed October 6, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10469-10555, S10557-10613 (Daily Ed. Oct. 6, 2004).

1. Ongoing Job Crisis
2. Domestic Violence
3. War on Terror and the Economy
4. Good Samaritan Volunteer Firefighter Assistance Act
5. Establishing a National Park
6. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
7. Amending the Trademark Act of 1946
8. Copyright Royalty and Distribution Reform Act of 2004
9. Economic Development Administration Reauthorization Act of 2004
10. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
11. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
12. Health Care
13. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
14. Notice of Change in Senate Public Transportation Subsidy Regulations
15. Nominations
16. Confirmations
17. Endorsing the Minimum Wage
18. Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists
19. Pardoning ``Jack" Johnson
20. Kinship Caregivers
21. Childcare Means Parents in Schools
22. Satellite Home Viewer Act
23. Omnibus Appropriations
24. Anabolic Steroid Control Act of 2004
25. District of Columbia Appropriations for the Fiscal Year 2005, and for Other Purposes, Conference Report
26. Senate Legal Counsel Authorization
27. Family Farmer Bankruptcy Relief Act of 2004

28. National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program Reauthorization Act of 2003
29. Belarus Democracy Act of 2003
Issues Discussed October 7, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10631-10762 (Daily Ed. Oct. 7, 2004).
1. Thirteen Reasons Why America Is Not Safer Because of President Bush's Foreign Policy
2. Medicare
3. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
4. Washington, Thursday, October 7, 2004
5. Justice Through DNA Technology
6. National Intelligence Reform Bill
7. Privacy and Civil Liberties
8. No Child Left Behind
9. Speech to the United Nations by Tassos Papadopoulos, President of Cyprus
10. CBO Cost Estimate, S. 2773
11. Losing Ground
12. Anabolic Steroid Control Act
13. Rwanda and Sudan: Simply Recognizing Genocide Is Not Enough
14. Making the Most of Foreign Assistance: Family Planning and Development
15. Nuclear Energy for a Balanced Energy Portfolio
16. Art Therapists Vital to the Care of Veterans
17. Passage of the Belarus Democracy Act, Bda
18. Dispersal Barrier
19. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
20. Fighting Terrorism in Latin America
21. Measure Read the First Time, S. 2938
22. Appointments
23. Nominations

Issues Discussed October 8, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10763-10897 (Daily Ed. Oct. 8, 2004).

1. Intelligence Reform
2. American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, Conference Report
3. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
4. The DNA Act
5. Corral Drive Elementary School
6. Japan and Burma
7. Local Law Enforcement Act of 2003
8. Passage of H.R. 5149
9. World Food Day
10. Domestic Violence Awareness Month
11. Notice of Change in Regulations Regarding Senatorial Suite Selection
12. Intellectual Property Protection
13. Nomination of Dr. Francis Joseph Harvey to Be Secretary of the Army
14. Satellite Home Viewer Act
15. Authorization for LIHEAP
16. Support of Energy Savings Performance Contracts
17. Bush Iraq Policy
18. Aerospace Manufacturing
19. Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board
20. Taiwan's National Day
21. Detention and Humane Treatment of Captured Terrorists
22. California Desert Protection Act
23. U.S>-japan Relations
24. American Pharmacists Month
25. National Intelligence Reform Act of 2004
26. Amending the Public Health Service Act
27. Veterans' Benefits Improvements Act of 2004
28. Confirmations

Issues Discussed October 9, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S10899-11009 (Daily Ed. Oct. 9, 2004).

1. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
2. Innocence Protection Act of 2004
3. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
4. Taxpayer-teacher Protection Act of 2004
5. Extending the Higher Education Act of 1965
6. Mammography Quality Standards Reauthorization Act of 2004
7. Intelligence Committee Reorganization
8. The Sabbath
9. Providing Agricultural Disaster Assistance
10. American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, Conference Report
11. Ronald W. Reagan National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005, Conference Report
12. FSC/ETI
13. Unanimous-consent Agreement, S. 2845
14. Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005, Conference Report
15. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005, Conference Report
16. Honoring Our Armed Forces
17. Medicare Modernization Act
18. Antisemitism
19. Relations with Kyrgzstan
20. Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program
21. Honoring Favorite Teachers
22. Department of Veterans Affairs Real Property and Facilities Management Improvement Act of 2004
23. Granting a Federal Charter to the National American Indian Veterans, Incorporated

Issues Discussed October 10, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S11011-11189 (Daily Ed. Oct. 10, 2004).

1. Supporting Goals of Red Ribbon Week
2. Expressing Sense of Senate with Respect to Prostate Cancer Information
3. Special Olympics Sport and Empowerment Act of 2004
4. Columbia Memorial Space Science Learning Center
5. American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, Conference Report
6. Adjournment of the Senate and House of Representatives
7. Family Smoking Prevention and Tobacco Control Act Amending Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938
8. Justice for All Act
9. Influenza Vaccine
10. Second Protocol Amending the Convention Between the United States of America and Barbados for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income
11. Global Anti-Semitism Review Act of 2004
12. Arizona Water Settlements Act
13. Upper White Salmon Wild and Scenic Rivers Act
14. Uintah Research and Curatorial Center Act
15. Rehabilitation of the Benjamin Franklin Memorial in Philadelphia
16. New Jersey Coastal Heritage Trail Route
17. Rocky Mountain National Park Boundary Adjustment of Act of 2004
18. Caribbean National Forest Act of 2004
19. Montana National Forests Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
20. Redwood National Park Boundary Adjustment Act of 2004
21. Pecos National Historical Park Land Exchange Act of 2004
22. Land Exchange at Fort Frederica National Monument
23. California Missions Preservation Act

24. Highlands Conservation Act
25. Voting Rights of Members of the Armed Services for the Delegate Representing American Samoa
26. John Muir National Historic Site Boundary Adjustment Act
27. Department of Energy High-end Computing Revitalization Act of 2004
28. Boundary Revision of the Chickasaw National Recreation Area
29. Provo River Project Transfer Act
30. Brown Tree Snake Control and Eradication Act of 2004
31. Lincoln County Conservation, Recreation, and Development Act of 2004
32. Mcinnis Canyons National Conservation Area
33. Petrified Forest National Part Expansion Act of 2003
34. Truman Farm House Expansion Act
35. World Year of Physics
36. Hibben Center Act
37. Noxious Weed Control and Eradication Act of 2004
38. Truth Behind Overtime: it Helps Workers
39. Confirmation

Issues Discussed October 11, 2004, 150 Cong. Rec. S11191-11334 (Daily Ed. Oct. 11, 2004).

1. American Jobs Creation Act of 2004, Conference Report
2. Guardsmen and Reservists Financial Relief Act of 2004
3. Refundable Tax Credits for Municipalities
4. Military Construction Appropriations Act, 2005, Conference Report
5. Instructing Conferees on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration
6. Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2005, Conference Report

7. To Reauthorize the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
8. Appointment of Conferees to S. 2845
9. Disaster Assistance
10. Native Hawaiians
11. FSC/ETI
12. Unemployment Figures
13. The Economy
14. Home Ownership Opportunities for Native Americans Act of 2004
15. Unaccompanied Alien Child Protection Act of 2004
16. Controlled Substance Act Amendment
17. Mentally Ill Offender Treatment and Crime Reduction Act of 2004
18. Federal Workforce Flexibility Act of 2004
19. 2004 District of Columbia Omnibus Authorization Act
20. Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
21. Amending Section of Immigration and Nationality Act
22. Amending and Authorizing John F. Kennedy Center Act and John F. Kennedy Center for Performing Arts
23. Improving Access to Physicians in Medically Underserved Areas
24. Stem Cell Research
25. A Military Draft
26. Overtime Pay
27. Further Revised Appropriations Allocations Committee
28. Bush Transportation Policies Are Wrong for Rural America
29. Attempts to Kill the ESLGP
30. Leaving West Virginia Children Behind
31. DoD Authorization Conference Report
32. 20th Anniversary of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

33. MILC Program
34. Intellectual Property Legislation
35. Hungarian Gold Train Case
36. Intellectual Property Protection Act
37. Congratulations to ASCAP on 90 Years of Success
38. The Science of Climate Change
39. Arizona Water Settlements Act
40. U.S. Policy in Iraq
41. The Immigration Provisions of H.R. 10
42. Additional Statements
43. American Jobs Creation Act of 2004
44. Unanimous Consent Agreement, Executive Calendar No. 915
45. Nominations Placed on the Calendar
46. American Veterans Disabled for Life Commemorative Coin Act
47. Asthmatic Schoolchildren's Treatment and Health Management Act of 2003
48. National Estuary Program
49. Federal Regulatory Improvement Act of 2004
50. National Archives and Records Administration Efficiency Act of 2003
51. Executive Branch Financial Accountability Reporting Act of 2004
52. Long Island Sound Stewardship Act of 2004
53. Water Resources Act of 1984 Reauthorization
54. Clarifying the Boundaries of the John H. Chafee Coast Barrier Resources System
55. For the Relief of Rich James Lesley, H.R. 712
56. The Calendar
57. Recognizing the Importance of Early Diagnosis of Tourette Syndrome

58. Amending United States Code to Authorize Appropriations for Administrative Conference of United States
59. Providing for Conveyance of Parcels of National Forest System Land in Apalachicola National Forest
60. Limiting Transfer of Certain Commodity Credit Corporation Funds
61. Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005
62. Order That All Nominations to Remain Status Quo
63. Amending the Agricultural Adjustment Act
64. Pending Nominations
65. Spaceship One
66. Confirmations

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Issues Discussed September 7, 152 Cong. Rec. H6305-6365 (daily ed. Sept. 07, 2006).

1. Amendment Process for Consideration of H.R. 2965, Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act
2. Five Years Late
3. No Amnesty for Illegal Aliens
4. Struggling Families
5. Truth Squad on Waste, Fraud and Abuse
6. Problems in America
7. Secretary Rumsfeld Serves Nation with Dignity and Honor
8. People Protection
9. Winning the War on Terrorism
10. Border Protection and Security Now

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*. The 2006 federal election occurred on November 7th. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 8th. The following issues were discussed on the floor of the House of Representatives during that time. This list excludes renaming of buildings, recognizing honored individuals or groups, and extensions of remarks.

11. "Heigh-ho Silver"--and the Border
12. Student Assistance
13. A Letter from Iraq
14. U.S. Military's Readiness Problems
15. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 5122, G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007
16. Iraq Policy
17. Restoring Democracy to America
18. Thank God for this Democracy and Those Protecting it
19. Public Bills and Resolutions
20. Status Report on Current Spending Levels of On-budget Spending and Revenues for FY 2007 and the 5-year Period FY 2007 Through FY 2011
21. Big-government Solutions Don't Work
22. Iraq Watch
23. National Security and Electromagnetic Pulse
24. American Horse Slaughter Prevention Act

Issues Discussed September 12, 152 Cong. Rec. H6371-6429 (Daily Ed. Sept. 12, 2006).

1. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H. Res. 994, Expressing Sense of the House of Representatives on Fifth Anniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against the United States on September 11, 2001
2. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2965, Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act of 2006
3. Darfur
4. Remembering September 11
5. Imprisonment of Cong Than Do by Socialist Republic of Vietnam
6. Fighting Terrorism
7. National Security

8. Reports of Committees on Public Bills and Resolutions
9. Pakistan Remains Breeding Ground for Terrorism
10. Introduction of the Health Care Price Transparency Act of 2006
11. War in Iraq and Homeland Security Top Issues Facing Our Country
12. Mistakes Made since 9/11/2001
13. Last Best Hope of Earth
14. Comments on Commemorating the Events of 9/11/2001 and on the War on Terror
15. Bush Has Not Learned Lessons of 9/11
16. Support September 11 Victims
17. Questioning Secretary Rumsfeld's Leadership
18. North American Wetlands Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2006
19. Lake Mattamuskeet Lodge Preservation Act
20. Coastal Barrier Resources System Map Replacement Relating to Grayton Beach, Florida
21. Pascua Yaqui Mineral Rights Act of 2006
22. John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System Boundary Revision
23. National Fish Hatchery System Volunteer Act of 2006
24. Affordable Rural Housing
25. Pueblo De San Ildefonso Claims Settlement Act of 2005
26. Restoring Accountability and Fiscal Discipline
27. 30-Something Working Group

Issues Discussed September 13, 152 Cong. Rec. H6431-h6536 (Daily Ed. Sept. 13, 2006).

1. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 6061, Secure Fence Act of 2006
2. Report on Resolution Providing for the Adoption of H. Res. 1000, Providing for Earmarking Reform in the House of Representatives

3. NATO Strategic Airlift Capability
4. Democrats Support Democracy at Home as Well as Abroad
5. A New Direction for America
6. Introduction of H. Con. Res. 453
7. Raising the Minimum Wage
8. How Safe Is America Today from Terrorist Attacks?
9. Global War on Terror
10. President Attempts to Connect Iraq with Overall War on Terror
11. America Cannot Afford to Stay the Course
12. President Has Misled the American People on Iraq
13. Presidential Rhetoric Vs. Economic Reality
14. Republicans Prefer to Play Politics
15. Border Security
16. President Bush Uses Nationally Televised Speech to Spread Disinformation
17. Tax Cuts for Wealthy, Pay Cuts for Middle Class
18. Betrayed in the Line of Duty
19. Iraq Is a Distraction
20. President Bush Continues to Misrepresent the War in Iraq
21. Unity and Resolve Will Win the War on Terror
22. Small Business Needs
23. Reports of Committees on Pubic Bills and Resolutions
24. Correcting Enrollment of S. 2590, Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006
25. Restricting Indian Gaming to Homelands of Tribes Act of 2006
26. Providing for Consideration of H. Res. 994, Expressing Sense of the House of Representatives on Fifth Anniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against the United States on September 11, 2001
27. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 2864, Water Resources Development Act of 2005

28. Narcotics Problem in Afghanistan
29. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2965, Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act of 2006
30. Fourteenth Dalai Lama Congressional Gold Medal Act
31. Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006
32. The Road to Affordable Health Care
33. The 30-Something Working Group
34. Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Facility Authorization Act of 2006
35. Restricting Indian Gaming to Homelands of Tribes Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 14, 152 Cong. Rec. H6537-h6656 (Daily Ed. Sept. 14, 2006).

1. Amendment Process for Consideration of H.R. 6054, Military Commissions Act of 2006
2. We Need a New Direction on Security in America
3. The Face of the Enemy
4. Fear Is All the Republicans Have to Offer
5. America Is Not Safer According to Bipartisan Panel of Foreign Policy Experts
6. U.S. must Use Influence in a Positive Way in the Middle East
7. Catching Bin Laden Won't Make Us Safer?
8. Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld
9. President's Attempts to Connect Iraq with the Overall War on Terror
10. Unjust Prosecution of Two U.S. Border Patrol Agents
11. Time for a Reality Check
12. The Week That Was
13. The Crisis in Iraq
14. Secure Fence Act of 2006

15. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 2864, Water Resources Development Act of 2005
16. Iraq Watch
17. 30-Something Working Group
18. The Republican Vision for the next Century
19. National Security
20. Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act of 2006
21. Providing for Earmarking Reform in the House of Representatives
22. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 6061, Secure Fence Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 19, 152 Cong. Rec. H6661-h6735 (Daily Ed. Sept. 19, 2006).

1. Pretexting and HP
2. Military Coup in Thailand
3. Secure Borders
4. The Pope and Free Speech and Religious Freedom
5. Rule of Law and Prisoners
6. Golden Drain Awards to Chertoff and Rumsfeld
7. Politicizing the War on Terror
8. A Critical Time for the People of Darfur
9. Iraqis must Assume More Responsibility
10. Support the Federal Election Integrity Act
11. Support of U.S. Border Patrol Agents
12. Budget
13. Iran's Nuclear Ambition
14. Sudan Teetering on the Edge of Disaster
15. Combating Corruption Requires Expanding Freedom
16. More Trouble for America's Working Families
17. Democrats Are Prepared to Lead the Country in a New Direction
18. Supporting a New Direction for America

19. H.R. 5555, Trauma Bill
20. What the Constitution Says
21. Democrats and the Budget Deficit
22. Earline Heath King
23. Iraq War
24. Supporting the Goal of Eliminating Suffering and Death Due to Cancer by the Year 2015
25. Condemning the Repression of the Iranian Baha'i Community and Calling for the Emancipation of Iranian Baha'is
26. Wool Suit Fabric Labeling Fairness and International Standards Conforming Act
27. Expressing Sense of the House of Representatives That the Socialist Republic of Vietnam Needs to Do More to Resolve Claims for Confiscated Real and Personal Property
28. Recognizing and Supporting the Success of the Adoption and Safe Families Act of 1997
29. Condemning Human Rights Abuses by the Government of Iran and Expressing Solidarity with the Iranian People
30. Student and Teacher Safety Act of 2006
31. Real Security Special Order
32. The Official Truth Squad

Issues Discussed September 20, 152 Cong. Rec. H6737-h6847 (Daily Ed. Sept. 20, 2006).

1. Americans Know We Can Do Better
2. Americans Deserve Real Immigration Reform
3. Breast Cancer Patient Protection Act
4. The White Flag
5. Bush Economy Is Not Benefiting America's Great Middle Class
6. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4830, Border Tunnel Prevention Act of 2006; for Consideration of H.R. 6094, Community Protection Act of 2006; and for

Consideration of H.R. 6095, Immigration Law Enforcement Act of 2006

7. ``Border Security First'' Does Not Mean ``Border Security Only''

8. The Real Guantanamo Bay

9. The Republican Myth of a Healthy Economy

10. Congress Should Help Seniors out by Filling the Doughnut Hole That Millions of Seniors Face

11. Dancing Around Serious Issues and Avoiding Our Congressional Responsibilities

12. A Plea for the Survival of the People of Darfur

13. Prescription Drug Law Creates a Giant Hole in Drug Coverage

14. Stay the Course in Iraq Is Not a Strategy for Success

15. Restoring Economic Opportunity for the Forgotten Middle Class

16. Federal Election Integrity Act of 2006

17. Where Is Lafayette?

18. America Deserves a New Direction on Energy Policies

19. This Administration must Change Direction on Aviation Security

20. Providing a New Direction on Economic Security Issues

21. Iraq

22. President Bush and GOP out of Touch on the Economic Concerns of Americans

23. Unity Needed on Security

24. Searching for the President's Iraq Plan

25. Iranian President's Speech at U.N.

26. Darfur Peace and Accountability Act

27. Blame America First Crowd; Condemn Our Troops

28. Where Do We Stand?

29. Republicans Fencing out Ordinary Americans

30. America Even Better than Wal-mart

31. Addressing the Medicare Part D Doughnut Hole
32. Benjamin Franklin Tercentenary Commission Act of 2005
33. Repeal of Prohibition on Use of Certain Funds for Tunneling in Certain Areas with Respect to Los Angeles to San Fernando Valley Metro Rail Project
34. Wichita Project Equus Beds Division Authorization Act of 2005
35. City of Oxnard Water Recycling and Desalination Act of 2006
36. Condemning Human Rights Abuses by the Government of Iran and Expressing Solidarity with the Iranian People
37. Partners for Fish and Wildlife Act
38. Pets Evacuation and Transportation Standards Act of 2006
39. Continuing the Battle Against Islamic Extremism
40. Tylersville Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act
41. Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 2006
42. The 30-Something Working Group: Democratic Proposals
43. The Official Truth Squad
44. Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act
45. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Act

Issues Discussed September 21, 152 Cong. Rec. H6849-h6934 (Daily Ed. Sept. 21, 2006).

1. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 5631, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007
2. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 5441, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2007
3. Protect Our Borders
4. Hold on FDA Commissioner over RU-486
5. Congress Is Acting on Illegal Immigration
6. Signs of War Preparation
7. Federal Contracts and Sudan
8. Wiretapping Surveillance Program

9. Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism--message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 109-135
10. U.S. Congress must Lead on Peace
11. Genocide in Darfur
12. Skyline Membership Corporation
13. Outlaw of the Underground
14. Military Personnel Financial Services Protection Act
15. Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments of 2006
16. Bad Faith Actions and Policies of State Farm Insurance in Mississippi
17. Republicans out of Touch
18. The New Direction for America
19. The Issues Affecting America
20. The Distinctions Between the Republicans and the Democrats
21. Community Protection Act of 2006
22. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4830, Border Tunnel Prevention Act of 2006; for Consideration of H.R. 6094, Community Protection Act of 2006; and for Consideration of H.R. 6095, Immigration Law Enforcement Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 25, 152 Cong. Rec. H6935-h7349 (Daily Ed. Sept. 25, 2006).

1. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of S. 403, Child Custody Protection Act
2. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 2679, Veterans' Memorials, Boy Scouts, Public Seals, and Other Public Expressions of Religion Protection Act of 2006
3. English as the Official Language
4. Situation in Iraq
5. Torture Defined

6. A Blessed Nation
7. Correcting Enrollment of H.R. 3127, Darfur Peace and Accountability Act of 2006
8. ``I Pledge Allegiance to Mexico"?
9. Applauding the Capitol Flag Office Employees
10. Hoops for Hope
11. Drought
12. Undermining Efforts to Fight Terrorism
13. The Iraq War
14. Two Captive Israeli Soldiers and Problems with the U.N.
15. Southern Nevada Readiness Center Act
16. Water Resources Research Act Amendments of 2006
17. Authorizing National Park Service to Pay for Subcontractor Services Completed at Grand Canyon National Park
18. General Services Administration Modernization Act
19. Mississippi River Trail Study Act
20. Authorizing Salary Adjustments for Justices and Judges of the United States
21. Ice Age Floods National Geologic Route Designation Act of 2006
22. Supporting the Goals and Ideals of National Myositis Awareness Day
23. Copyright Royalty Judges Program Technical Corrections Act
24. Authorizing Land Conveyance to the Missouri River Basin Lewis and Clark Interpretive Trail and Visitor Center Foundation
25. New Hampshire Wilderness Act of 2006
26. Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve Boundary Adjustment Act of 2006
27. Lower Farmington River and Salmon Brook Wild and Scenic River Study Act

28. River Raisin National Battlefield Study Act
29. Proud to Be an American Citizen Act
30. Extending Authorization for Establishing a Memorial in the District of Columbia to Honor Veterans
31. National Historic Preservation Act Amendments of 2006
32. 30-Something Working Group
33. Oregon Water Resources Management Act of 2006
34. Piedras Blancas Historic Light Station Outstanding Natural Area Act of 2005
35. Trademark Dilution Revision Act of 2006
36. Calling on the President to Take Immediate Steps to Help Improve the Security Situation in Darfur, Sudan
37. Republicans Provide Security to America
38. Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006
39. Darfur Peace and Accountability Act of 2006
40. 2005 District of Columbia Omnibus Authorization Act
41. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (BATFE)
42. Conference Report on H.R. 5631, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007

Issues Discussed September 26,152 Cong. Rec. H7351-h7498 (Daily Ed. Sept. 26, 2006).

1. It's Time the Do-nothing Congress Actually Do Something for the American People
2. National Security
3. Spy Agencies Say Iraq War Worsens Terrorism Threat
4. Preserving the CIA Program
5. Families Face Rising Costs with Falling Wages
6. America's Economic Situation
7. Iraq
8. ``Press One for English"
9. President Bush Misrepresents Iraq's Impact on the Overall Global War on Terror

10. The Barbaric Practice of Game Bird and Illegal Dog Fighting
11. Health Insurance for Life Act (H.R. 5740)
12. Democrats out of Touch
13. Iraq War Creating More Terrorists, Not less
14. National Defense
15. America Is Not Safer Today
16. No Congressional Accomplishments this Year
17. We Need to Change Course in Iraq
18. Sri Lanka Conflict Surges
19. Turkish Penal Code--Elif Shafak's Trial
20. Reynolds Creek Hydroelectric License Extension Bill
21. Swift Creek Hydroelectric License Extension Bill
22. Tygart Dam Project Hydroelectric License Extension Bill
23. Arrowrock Project Hydroelectric License Extension Bill
24. To Extend Temporarily Certain Authorities of the Small Business Administration
25. Providing for Conveyance of Certain National Forest System Land to Laona and Wabeno, Wisconsin
26. Providing for Conveyance of Former Konnarock Lutheran Girls School in Smyth County, Virginia
27. Extending Deadline for Commencement of Construction of Certain Hydroelectric Projects in Connecticut
28. Open Space and Farmland Preservation Act
29. Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006
30. Affirming Support for the Sovereignty and Security of Lebanon and the Lebanese People
31. National Institutes of Health Reform Act of 2006
32. Conference Report on H.R. 5631, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007
33. Calling on the President to Take Immediate Steps to Help Improve the Security Situation in Darfur, Sudan

34. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives (Batfe
35. Global Terrorism
36. National Integrated Drought Information System Act of 2006
37. Encouraging All Offices of the House of Representatives to Hire Disabled Veterans
38. Restoring Fiscal Discipline to Government
39. Permitting Expenditures from Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund
40. Promoting Antiterrorism Capabilities Through International Cooperation Act
41. Providing for Consideration of S. 403, Child Custody Protection Act
42. Green Chemistry Research and Development Act of 2005
43. More Border Patrol Agents Now Act of 2006
44. Biodefense and Pandemic Vaccine and Drug Development Act of 2006
45. Veterans Identity and Credit Security Act of 2006
46. Child Interstate Abortion Notification Act
47. Child and Family Services Improvement Act of 2006
48. Veterans' Memorials, Boy Scouts, Public Seals, and Other Public Expressions of Religion Protection Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 27, 152 Cong. Rec. H7499-h7676 (Daily Ed. Sept. 27, 2006).

1. Privileged Report on Resolution of Inquiry to Secretary of State
2. Authorizing the Clerk to Make Corrections in Engrossment of H.R. 6166, Military Commissions Act of 2006
3. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 4772, Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006
4. Â Little Truth Goes a Long Way
5. Increase College Grants So More Teens Can Attend College

6. Reauthorize the Ryan White Act
7. Fighting HIV/aids
8. Perils of Amateur Strategy
9. The 9/11 Commission's Recommendations: Interoperability
10. No Congressional Recess until Action Is Taken on Prescription Drug Prices
11. Time for a New Direction
12. Iran
13. Congress Should Make College More Affordable Today by Passing Labor-hhs Bill
14. Congress Should Show That it Is Committed to Securing the American People Today
15. The Congressional Agenda Reflects its Values
16. Do-less-than-nothing Congress
17. Military Commissions Act of 2006
18. Biofuel Act
19. The HIV/AIDS Crisis
20. Homeland Security
21. America's Stonewall
22. College Loans
23. The President and Gas Prices
24. Aids
25. Republicans Have Good Record in Passing Commonsense Energy Solutions
26. Republican Indifference
27. Bulgarian Miracle Continues
28. Hiv/aids Is Wreaking Havoc on African American Communities Across Our Nation
29. Repeal Tax Breaks to Big Oil
30. Raising the Minimum Wage; We Should Increase the Minimum Wage Today
31. The Democrats May Not like It, but We Are Winning the Global War on Terror

32. National Intelligence Estimate and War on Terror
33. Implement the 9/11 Commission Recommendations
34. No Recess until Action on Energy Prices
35. HIV/AIDS
36. Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit
37. First Tee Benefits Inner City Youth
38. Republican Leadership Ignores Labor-hhs-education Spending Bill
39. Republicans Pad the Profit Margins of Drug Companies in Flawed Prescription Drug Law
40. Rubber-Stamp Congress
41. Change in Leadership
42. Authorizing Secretary of the Interior to Improve California's Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta and Water Supply
43. Allowing for Renegotiation of Payment Schedule of Contracts Between Secretary of Interior and Redwood Valley County Water District
44. To Modify a Land Grant Patent Issued by the Secretary of the Interior
45. Rio Arriba County Land Conveyance Act
46. Ouachita National Forest Boundary Adjustment Act of 2006
47. Douglas County, Washington, Pud Conveyance Act
48. Columbia Space Shuttle Memorial Study Act
49. Arthur V. Watkins Dam Enlargement Act of 2005
50. Las Cienegas Enhancement Act
51. Lower Republican River Basin Study Act
52. Colorado Northern Front Range Mountain Backdrop Protection Study Act
53. Railroad Retirement Disability Earnings Act
54. Supporting the Goals and Ideals of ``Lights on Afterschool!"
55. New Mexico Water Planning Assistance Act

56. Financial Services Regulatory Relief Act of 2006
57. Mark-to-market Extension Act of 2006
58. Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2006
59. Dam Safety Act of 2006
60. Extending Secretary of Education Waiver Authority
61. Hedge Fund Study Act
62. Ratifying Conveyance of a Portion of the Jicarilla Apache Reservation to Rio Arriba County, State of New Mexico
63. Providing for an Adjournment or Recess of the Two Houses
64. Financial Services Regulatory Relief Amendments Act of 2006
65. Rio Grande Natural Area Act
66. Pueblo of Isleta Settlement and Natural Resources Restoration Act of 2006
67. Mark-to-market Extension Act of 2006
68. FHA Multifamily Loan Limit Adjustment Act of 2006
69. Upper Mississippi River Basin Protection Act
70. Community Development Investment Enhancements Act of 2006
71. Commission to Study the Potential Creation of a National Museum of American Latino Heritage Act of 2006
72. Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 2006
73. Hope Vi Reauthorization Act of 2006
74. Marine Debris Research, Prevention, and Reduction Act
75. Utah Recreational Land Exchange Act of 2006
76. Supporting Efforts Promoting Greater Public Awareness of Effective Runaway Youth Prevention Programs
77. Financial Netting Improvements Act of 2006
78. Esther Martinez Native American Languages Preservation Act of 2006
79. Nonadmitted and Reinsurance Reform Act of 2006
80. Long Island Sound Stewardship Act of 2006

81. Third Higher Education Extension Act of 2006
82. Credit Rating Agency Reform Act of 2006
83. Stevens-Inouye International Fisheries Monitoring and Compliance Legacy Act of 2006
84. Financial Services Regulatory Relief Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 28, 152 Cong. Rec. H7677-h7848 (Daily Ed. Sept. 28, 2006).

1. Permission to Make Corrections in Engrossment of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act
2. Report on Resolution Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act
3. Report on Resolution Waiving Requirement of Clause 6
4. Appointment as Member to Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance
5. Hugo Chavez and the American Consumer
6. Report on Resolution Waiving Points of Order Against Conference Report on H.R. 5441
7. Failures of the Congress under Republican Leadership
8. Material Support Bill
9. Shocked at How Awful Iraq Is
10. Victim-activated Landmine Abolition Act
11. Recapping Republican Successes
12. Iraq Making Overall Terrorism Problem Worse--time for New Direction
13. NIE
14. Seniors Once Again Victims of GOP's Cozy Relationship with Drug Companies
15. Time for a Change
16. Iran
17. On the Vietnam Democracy Movement
18. The World Is less Safe
19. The Need for Energy Independence
20. Defense Authorization Bill Aims to Ban Internet Gaming

21. On the Conflict Between Israel and Hezbollah
22. Fort Mcdowell Indian Community Water Rights Settlement Revision Act of 2006
23. Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act Amendment
24. Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library Authorization Act
25. Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Modernization Act of 2006
26. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4954, Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
27. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act
28. Establishing a Pilot Program in Certain District Courts
29. Children's Hospital GME Support Reauthorization Act of 2006
30. Waiving Requirement of Clause 6
31. Secure Border Initiative Financial Accountability Act of 2006
32. Providing for Consideration of Motions to Suspend the Rules
33. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 4954, Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
34. Waiving Requirement of Clause 6(a
35. Providing for Consideration of H.R. 5825, Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act
36. Coast Guard Authorization Act of 2006
37. Iran Freedom Support Act
38. Electronic Surveillance Modernization Act
39. Older Americans Act Amendments of 2006
40. Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Modernization Act of 2006
41. Conference Report on H.R. 5441, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2007

Issues Discussed September 29, 152 Cong. Rec. H7905-h8060 (Daily Ed. Sept. 29, 2006).

1. Conference Report on H.R. 4954, Safe Port Act
2. Conference Report on H.R. 5122, John Warner National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2007
3. District of Columbia's 2007 Budget Request Act--message from the President of the United States (H. Doc. No. 109-136
4. Footy's Bubbles and Bones Gala
5. Time for a New Direction
6. Health Care
7. GOP Prepares to Leave Without Holding Administration Accountable on Iraq
8. Do-nothing Congress??
9. Tax Relief/small Business
10. Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-living Adjustment Act of 2006
11. Conference Report on H.R. 5441, Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2007
12. Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 2006
13. Military Commissions Act of 2006
14. Wright Amendment Reform Act of 2006
15. North Korea Nonproliferation Act of 2006
16. Federal and District of Columbia Government Real Property Act of 2005
17. Alternative Energy Research and Development Act
18. Wright Amendment Reform Act of 2006
19. Safetea-lu Amendments Act

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Issues Discussed September 7, 152 Cong. Rec. S9071-S9226 (daily ed. Sept. 7, 2006).

1. AIDS in 2006--moving Toward One World, One Hope?
2. A Vermont Lesson in How to Export to the World
3. Support for a Special Envoy for Sudan
4. Abraham Lincoln Commemorative Coin Act
5. Recognizing Dialogue on Diversity's 2006 Health Care Symposium
6. The Youthbuild Transfer Act
7. Freedom for Félix Gerardo Vega Ruíz
8. Accountable Budgeting Commission
9. National Security
10. Iran
11. Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007
12. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
13. Family Humanitarian Relief
14. Cowboy Artillery
15. Angels of Adoption
16. Senate Resolution 560--Supporting Efforts to Increase Childhood Cancer Awareness, Treatment, and Research
17. General Services Administration Modernization Act
18. Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006
19. Supporting Efforts to Increase Childhood Cancer Awareness, Treatment and Research

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*. The 2006 federal election occurred on November 7th. Sixty days prior to the Federal Election Day was September 8th. The following issues were considered on the floor of the Senate during that time. This list excludes renaming of buildings, recognizing honored individuals or groups and extensions of remarks.

20. United States-Poland Parliamentary Youth Exchange Program Act of 2006
21. United States Ambassador for ASEAN Affairs
22. Naval Vessels Transfer Act of 2006
23. Stolen Valor Act of 2005

Issues Discussed September 8, 152 Cong. Rec. S9227-S9281 (Daily Ed. Sept. 8, 2006).

1. American Horse Slaughter Prevention Act
2. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
3. American Energy Independence
4. Intelligence Committee Phase Ii Report
5. Senate Intelligence Committee Report
6. Missile Defense
7. Defense Appropriations
8. Combating Gun Trafficking
9. Congress must Strengthen Whistleblower Protections
10. Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2007
11. Abraham Lincoln Commemorative Coin Act

152 Cong. Rec. S9283-S9320 (Daily Ed. Sept. 11, 2006).

1. Port Security Improvement Act
2. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
3. Darfur
4. Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act
5. Reducing Foreign Energy Reliance
6. Expressing the Sense of the Senate upon the Five-year Anniversary of the Terrorist Attacks Against the United States on September 11, 2001

Issues Discussed September 12, 152 Cong. Rec. S9321-S9447 (Daily Ed. Sept. 12, 2006).

1. The Definition of Tyranny; Look No Further than the Bush Administration and the Republican Enablers in Congress --
2. Boehringer Ingelheim Vetmedica, Inc.
3. Terror Alert: Loss of Credibility

4. Welcome to President Roh Moo-Hyn of the Republic of Korea
5. The U.N. Human Rights Council: Reform or Regression?
6. Introduction of the Health Care Price Transparency Act of 2006
7. Congressional Budget Office Cost Estimate for H.R. 2965
8. The Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Improvement and Enhancement Act of 2006
9. In Support of a Resolution Calling on Iran to Immediately Fulfill its Nuclear Nonproliferation Obligations, and for Other Purposes
10. Guantanamo Bay
11. President's 9/11 Speech
12. The President's Address to the Nation
13. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
14. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
15. Defense Appropriations
16. Let Us Look upon the Ocean with Reverence
17. Making Technical Corrections to the United States Code

Issues Discussed September 13, 152 Cong. Rec. S9449-S9575 (Daily Ed. Sept. 13, 2006).

1. American Horse Slaughter Prevention Act
2. Introducing a Concurrent Resolution Recognizing the Independence of the Courts of the United States
3. Introducing the Remote Monitoring Access Act of 2006
4. Welcome to President Roh Moo-Hyun of the Republic of Korea
5. Administration Stem Cell Veto: "Assault on Science"
6. Pension Protection Act
7. North American Wetlands Conservation Reauthorization Act of 2006
8. Health Information Technology Promotion Act (H.R. 4157~
9. Real Security Amendment

10. NSA Warrantless Surveillance Program
11. Unity in the War on Terror
12. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
13. The Character of the Senate
14. Senate Select Committee on Intelligence Oversight
15. Senate Concurrent Resolution 114–Providing for Corrections to the Enrollment of the Bill S. 2590
16. Corrections to the Enrollment of S. 2590
17. Fort McDowell Indian Community Water Rights Settlement Revision Act of 2006
18. Children and Media Research Advancement Act
19. Death on the High Seas Act
20. Calling on the President to Take Immediate Steps to Help Stop the Violence in Darfur

Issues Discussed September 14, 152 Cong. Rec. S9577-S9647 (Daily Ed. Sept. 14, 2006).

1. Fourteenth Dalai Lama Congressional Gold Medal Act
2. Homeless Veterans
3. Appointment of Conferees on H.R. 2864, Water Resources Development Act of 2005
4. Introduction of the Income-dependent Education Assistance Act of 2006
5. Providing for Consideration of H. Res. 994, Expressing Sense of the House of Representatives on Fifth Aniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against the United States on September 11, 2001
6. Introducing Bill to Establish Mineral Commodity Information Administration
7. Azerbaijan--time to Free the Political Prisoners
8. "Iraq Watch"
9. Safety and Security of the American People
10. Republicans Are Committed to Making America Safer
11. America's Status in Fighting Terrorism

12. Osama Bin Laden Still Loose
13. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
14. Darfur
15. Boxing
16. Changing the Tide
17. NSA-related Bills and Proposed Changes to War Crimes Act
18. Senate Concurrent Resolution 115--expressing the Sense of Congress with Respect to Raising Awareness and Enhancing the State of Computer Security in the United States, and Supporting the Goals and Ideals of National Cyber Security Awareness Month
19. Unanimous Consent--H.R. 5684

Issues Discussed September 15, 152 Cong. Rec. S9649-S9663 (Daily Ed. Sept. 15, 2006).

1. Providing for Consideration of H. Res. 994, Expressing Sense of the House of Representatives on Fifth Anniversary of Terrorist Attacks Launched Against the United States on September 11, 2001
2. Federal Prison Industries Competition in Contracting Act of 2006
3. Effective Tools to Fight Terrorism
4. Detainees
5. Tax Extenders
6. Indian Health Care
7. United States-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act
8. Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act
9. Protocol Amending 1962 Extradition Convention with Israel

Issues Discussed September 18, 152 Cong. Rec. S9665-S9687 (Daily Ed. Sept. 18, 2006).

1. Unanimous Consent Agreement--H.R. 4954
2. Constitution Day and Democratic Obstruction

3. The Administration's Mistakes in the Iraq War
4. Oman Free Trade Agreement
5. Proud to Fight for Our Freedoms
6. Food Safety
7. Interrogation of Detainees
8. Crisis of Democracy in the Middle East
9. Sri Lanka
10. Rapid City Weed and Seed
11. Secure Fence Act of 2006--motion to Proceed
12. Vitiation of Action--H.R. 503

Issues Discussed September 19, 152 Cong. Rec. S9689-S9735 (Daily Ed. Sept. 19, 2006).

1. Oman Free Trade Agreement
2. Securing Our Borders
3. Humanitarian Catastrophe in Darfur
4. Congressional Oversight
5. United States-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act
6. Prayer in the Armed Forces
7. Local Law Enforcement Enhancement Act of 2005
8. Disaster Recovery Personal Protection Act
9. Senate Resolution 573--calling on the United States Government and the International Community to Support the Successful Transition from Conflict to Sustainable Peace in Uganda
10. Senate Resolution 574--recognizing the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation on the Occasion of its 70th Anniversary and Saluting the Outstanding Service of its Members and Staff on Behalf of the Agricultural Community and the People of North Carolina
11. Supporting Transition from Conflict to Sustainable Peace in Uganda
12. New Hampshire Wilderness Act of 2006

13. Appointment of Conferees--H.R. 4954
14. Water Resources Development Act of 2006
Issues Discussed September 20, 152 Cong. Rec. S9737-S9857 (Daily Ed. Sept. 20, 2006).
1. Terrorist Surveillance
2. Immigration
3. Coup in Thailand
4. Secure Fence Act of 2006--motion to Proceed
5. Solidarity with Israel
6. Northern Mariana Islands
7. Condemning Drive Hunts
8. Security and Accountability for Every Port Act
9. Child and Family Services Improvement Act of 2006
10. Code Talkers Recognition Act
11. Reauthorizing the Livestock Mandatory Reporting Act of 1999
12. Agricultural Workers
13. Middle-class Squeeze
14. U.S. Economy Continues to Prosper
Issues Discussed September 21, 152 Cong. Rec. S9859-S10009 (Daily Ed. Sept. 21, 2006).
1. Physician Medicare Payments
2. Drilling for America's Oil
3. Secure Fence Act of 2006--motion to Proceed
4. Local Law Enforcement Enhancement Act of 2005
5. Hate Crime
6. A Few Bad Apples
7. Cost Estimates
8. Code Talkers Recognition Act
9. Patten Seed Company
10. Report on the Continuation of the National Emergency with Respect to Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or

Support Terrorism That Was Established in Executive Order 13224 on September 21, 2006--pm 56

11. Senate Resolution 580--recognizing the Importance of Pollinators to Ecosystem Health and Agriculture

12. Senate Resolution 581--condemning the Anti-democratic Actions of President Hugo Chavez and Admonishing the Statements Made by Him to the United Nations General Assembly on September 20, 2006

13. Lights on Afterschool

14. Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-living Adjustment Act of 2006

15. Detainee Interrogation Agreement

16. Darfur Peace and Accountability Act of 2005

Issues Discussed September 22, 152 Cong. Rec. S10011-S10050 (Daily Ed. Sept. 22, 2006).

1. Credit Rating Agency Reform Act of 2006

Issues Discussed September 25, 152 Cong. Rec. S10051-S10107 (Daily Ed. Sept. 25, 2006).

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